THE FUNERAL!

The Majestic Obsequies of a Murdered President.

THE CAPITAL IN GLOOM.

How a Great Republic pays Funeral Honors to its Chief.

DUST TO DUST!

The Lying in State, the Grand Procession, and the Services at the Capitol.

CEREMONIES IN THE EAST ROOM

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Magnificent and Impressive Scene on Pennsylvania Avenue.

HOUSETOPS AND PAVEMENTS ALIVE

Thirty Thousand People Attend the Remains.

ADDRESS OF REV. DR. GURLEY.

The Body of the Late Chief Magistrate to Pass Through the Metropolis,

&c., &c., &c.

[OFFICIAL.]
WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, April 19—11 P. M.

Major-General John A. Dix, New-York:

It has been finally concluded to conform to the original arrangements made yesterday for the conveyance of the remains of the late President, Abraham Lincoln, from Washington to Springfield—viz.: by way of Baltimore, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, New-York, Albany, Buffalo, Cleveland, Columbus, Indianapolis, and Chicago, to Springfield.

EDWIN M. STANTON,
Secretary of War.

THE OBSEQUIES.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE WORLD.]
WASHINGTON, April 19 [Evening].

The most significant and most creditable celebration ever held in Washington has just transpired. A good ruler has been followed from his home to the Capitol by a grand cortege, worthy of the memory and of the nation's power. As description must do injustice to the extent of the display, so must criticism fail to sufficiently commend its perfect tastefulness. Rarely has a Republican assemblage been so orderly. The funeral of Mr. Lincoln is something to be remembered for a *cycle*. It was a eulogy upon his life and services, and was, without exception, the most representative, spontaneous, and remarkable testimonial ever rendered to the remains of an American citizen.

TREMENDOUS CROWDS IN ATTENDANCE.

The night before the funeral showed the probable character of the cortege. At Willard's alone four hundred applications by telegraph for beds were refused. As many as six thousand persons spent Tuesday night in the streets in depots and in outbuildings. The population of the city this morning was not far short of a hundred thousand, and of these as many as thirty thousand walked in procession with Mr. Lincoln's ashes.

REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE.

All orders of folk were at hand. The country adjacent sent in hay-wagons, donkey-carts, dearborns. All who could slip away from the army came to town, and every attainable section of the Union forwarded mourners. At no time in his life had Mr. Lincoln so many to throng about him as in this hour, when he is powerless to do any one a service. For once in history, office-seekers were disinterested, and contractors and hangers on human. These came, for this time only, to the capital of the republic without an axe to grind or a curiosity to subserve; respect and grief were all their motive. This day has shown that the great public heart beats unselfish and reverent, even after a dynasty of plunder and war.

THE PRELIMINARY ARRANGEMENTS.

The arrangements for the funeral were made by Mr. Harrington, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, who was beset by applicants for tickets. The number of these was reduced to six hundred, the clergy getting sixty and the press twenty. I was among the first to pass the White House guards and enter the building.

AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

Its freestone columns were draped in black, and all the windows were funereal. The ancient reception-room was half-stored, and the famous East room, which is approached by a spacious hall, had been reserved for the obsequies. There are none present here but a few silent attendants of the late owner of the republican palace. Deeply ensconced in the white satin stuffing of his coffin, the President lies like one asleep. The broad, high, beautiful room is like the varnished interior of a vault. The frescoed ceiling wears the national shield. Some pointed vases filled with flowers and fruit, and three emblazonings of gilt, pendant from which are shrouded chandeliers. A purplish gray is the prevailing tint of the ceiling. The cornice is silver white, set off by a velvet crimson. The wall-paper is gold and red, broken by eight lofty mirrors, which are chastely margined with black and faced with fleece.

THE CATAFALQUE.

Their imperfect surfaces reflect the lofty catafalque, an open canopy of solemn alapaca, lined with tasteful satin of cerulean lead, looped at the curving roof and dropping to the four corners in half transparent tapestry. Beneath the roof, the half light shines upon a stage of fresh and fragrant flowers, up-bearing a long, high coffin. White lace of pure silver pendant from the border throws a mild shimmer upon the solid silver tracery hinges and emblazonings. A cross of lilies stands at the head, an anchor of roses at the foot. The lid is drawn back to show the face and bosom, and on the coffin top are heather, precious flowers, and sprigs of green. This catafalque, or in plain words, this coffin set upon a platform and canopied, has around it a sufficient space of Brussels carpet, and on three sides of this there are raised steps covered with black, on which the honored visitors are to stand.

The fourth side is bare, save of a single row of chairs some twenty in number, on which the reporters are to sit. The odor of the room is fresh and healthy; the shade is solemn, without being oppressive. All is rich, simple, and spacious, and in such sort as any king might wish to lie. Approach and look at the dead man.

APPEARANCE OF THE CORPSE.

Death has fastened into his frozen face all the character and idiosyncrasy of life. He has not changed one line of his grave, grotesque countenance, nor smoothed out a single feature. The hue is rather bloodless and leaden; but he was always sallow. The dark eyebrows seem abruptly arched; the beard, which will grow no more, is shaved close, save the tuft at the short, small chin. The mouth is shut, like that of one who had put the foot down firm, and so are the eyes, which look as calm as slumber. The collar is short and awkward, turned over the stiff elastic cravat, and whatever energy or humor or tender gravity marked the living face is hardened into its pulseless outline. No corpse in the world is better prepared according to appearances. The white satin around it reflects sufficient light upon the face to show us that death is really there; but there are sweet roses and early magnolias, and the balmiest of lilies strewn around, as if the flowers had begun to bloom even upon his coffin. Looking on uninterruptedly, for there is no pressure, and henceforward the place will be thronged with gazers who will take from the sight its suggestiveness and respect. Three years ago, when little Willie Lincoln died, Doctors Brown and Alexander, the embalmers or injectors, prepared his body so handsomely that the President had it twice disinterred to look upon it. The same men, in the same way, have made perpetual these beloved lineaments. There is now no blood in the body; it was drained by the jugular vein and sacredly preserved, and through a cutting on the inside of the thigh the empty blood-vessels were charged with a chemical preparation which soon hardened to the consistence of stone. The long and bony body is now hard and stiff, so that beyond its present position it cannot be moved any more than the arms or legs of a statue. It has undergone many changes. The scalp has been removed, the brain scooped out, the chest opened and the blood emptied. All this we see of Abraham Lincoln, so cunningly contemplated in this splendid coffin, is a mere shell, an effigy, a sculpture. He lies in sleep, but it is the sleep of marble. All that made this flesh vital, sentient, and affectionate is gone forever.

THE WATCHERS.

The officers present are Generals Hunter and Dyer and two staff captains. Hunter, compact and dark and reticent, walks about the empty chamber in full uniform, his bright buttons and sash and sword contrasting with his dark blue uniform, gauntlets upon his hands, crape on his arm and blade, his corded hat in his hands, a paper collar just apparent above his velvet lips, and now and then he speaks to Captain Nesmith or Captain Dewes, of General Harding's staff, rolling as one who wishes company than one who has anything to say. His two silver stars upon his shoulder shine dimly in the draped apartment. He was one of the first in the war to urge the measures which Mr. Lincoln afterward adopted. The aids walk to and fro, selected without reference to any association with the late President. Their clothes are rich, their swords wear mourning, they go in silence, everything is funereal. In the dimly-draped mirrors strange mirages are seen, as in the coffin scene of "Lucretia Borgia," where all the dusky perspectives bear vistas of gloomy palls. The upholsterers make timid noises of driving nails and spreading tapestry; but save ourselves and these few watchers and workers, only the dead is here. The White House, so ill-appreciated in common times, is seen to be capacious and elegant—no disgrace to the nation even in the eyes of those foreign folk of rank who shall gather here directly.

FORMING THE LINE.

As we sit brooding, with the pall straight before us, the funeral guns are heard indistinctly booming from the far forts, with the tap of drums in the aerial street without, where troops and citizens are forming for the grand procession. We see through the window in the beautiful spring day that the grass is brightly green; and all the trees in blossom, show us through their archways the bronze and marble statues breaking the horizon. But there is one at an upper window, seeing all this through her tears, to whom the beautiful noon, with its wealth of zephyrs and sweets, can waft no gratulation. The father of her children, the confidant of her affection and ambition, has passed from life into immortality, and lies below, dumb, cold, murdered. The feeling of sympathy for Mrs. Lincoln is as wide-spread as the regret for the chief magistrate. Whatever indiscretions she may have committed in the abrupt transition from plainness to power are now forgiven and forgotten. She and her sons are the property of the nation, associated with its truest glories and its worst bereavement. By and by the guests drop in, hat in hand, wearing upon their sleeves waving crape, and some of them slip up to the coffin to carry away a last impression of the fading face.

MOURNERS.

But the first accession of force is that of the clergy, sixty in number. They are devout to the turn, darkly attired, and have come from all the neighboring cities to represent every denomination. Five years ago these were wrangling over slavery as a theological question, and at the beginning of the war it was hard, in many of their bodies, to carry loyal resolutions. To-day there are here such sincere mourners as Robert Pattison, of the Methodist church, who passed much of his life among slaves and masters. He and the rest have come to believe that the President was wise and right, and follow him to his grave, as the apostles the interred on calvary. All these retire to the south end of the room, facing the feet of the corpse, and stand there silently to wait for the coming of others. Very soon this East room is filled with the representative intelligence of the entire nation. The governors of states stand on the dais next to the head of the coffin, with the varied features of Curtin, Brough, Fenton, Stone, Oglesby and Ingraham. Behind them are the mayors and municipalities of many towns paying their last respects to the representative of the source of all municipal freedom. To their left are the corporate officers of Washington, zealous to make this day's funeral honors atone for the shame of the assassination. With these are sprinkled many scarred and worthy soldiers who have borne the burden of the grand war, and stand before this shape they loved in quite civil reverence.

MEN USED TO THE PRESENCE OF DEATH.

Still further down the steps and closer to the catafalque rest the familiar faces of many of our greatest generals—the manly features of Augur, whose blood I have seen trickling forth upon the field of battle; the open almost beautiful countenance of Halleck, who has often talked of sieges and campaigns with this homely gentleman who is going to the grave. There are many more bright stars twinkling in contiguous shoulder bars, but sitting in a chair upon the bedewed carpet is Ulysses Grant, who has lived a century in the last three weeks, and comes to-day to add the lustre of his iron face to this thrilling and saddened picture. He wears white gloves and sash, and is swarthy, nervous, and almost tearful, his feet crossed, his cigar. receding head turning now here now there, his treble constellation blazing upon the left shoulder only, but hidden on the right, and I seem to read upon his compact features the indurate and obstinate will to fight, on the line he has selected, the honor of the country through our peril, as if he had sworn it by the slain man's bier, his state fellow, patron, and friend. Here also is General McCallum, who has scanned the rebellious South with military roads to send victory along them, and bring back the groaning and the scarred. These and the rest are grand historic figures, worthy of all artistic depiction. They have looked so often into the mortar's mouth, that no braggart's blade can make them wince. Do you see the thin-haired, conical head of the viking Farragut, close by General Grant, with many naval heroes close behind, storm-beaten, and every inch Americans in thought and physiognomy?

THE FOREIGN BODIES.

What think the foreign ambassadors of such men, in the light of their own overloaded bodies, where meaningless orders, crosses, and ribbons shine dimly in the funeral light? These legations number, perhaps, a hundred men, of all civilized races, the Sardinian minister, jetty-eyed, towering above the rest. But they are still and respectful, gathered around the bier of the great republican, whose public he has preserved. Whatever sympathy these have for our institutions, I think that in such audience they must have been impressed with the futility of any thought that either one citizen right or one territorial inch can ever be torn from the United States. Not to speak disparagingly of these noble guests, I was struck with the superior facial energy of our own public servants, who were generally larger, and brighter-faced, born of that aristocracy which took its patent from Tubal Cain, and Abel the goatherd, and graduated in Abraham Lincoln. The Haytien minister, swarthy and fiery-faced, is conspicuous among these.

THE PRESIDENT AND CABINET.

But nearer down, and just opposite the catafalque so that it is perpendicular to the direction of his sound, the central powers of our government, its President and counsellors, President Johnson is facing the middle of the coffin upon the lowest step; his hands are crossed upon his breast, his dark clothing just revealing his plaited shirt, and upon his full, stolid, shaven face, broad and severely compact, two telling gray eyes rest under a thoughtful brow, whose turning hair is straight and smooth. Beside him are Vice-President Hamlin, whom he succeeded, and ex-Governor King, his most intimate friend, who lends to the rolling security of the place a half Falstaffian episode. The cabinet are behind, as if arranged for a daguerreotypist, Stanton, short and quick-witted, in long goatee and glasses, in stunted contrast to the tall and snow-tipped shape of Mr. Welles. With the rest, practical and attentive, and at their side is Secretary Chase, high, dignified, and handsome, with folded arms, listening, but undemonstrative, a half-foot higher than any spectator, and dividing with Charles Sumner, who is near by, the preference for manly beauty in one. With Mr. Chase are other justices of the Supreme Court, and to their left, near the feet of the corpse, are the reverend senators, representing the oldest and the newest states—splendid faces, a little worn with early and later toils, backed up by the high, classical features of Colonel Forney, their secretary. Beyond are the representatives and leading officials of the various departments, with a few odd folks like George Francis Train, exquisite as ever, and, for this time only, with nothing to say.

HOME FRIENDS AROUND THE BIER.

Close by the corpse sit the relatives of the deceased, plain, honest, hardy people, typical as much of the simplicity of our institutions as of Mr. Lincoln's self-made eminence. No blood relatives of Mr. Lincoln were to be found. It is a singular evidence of the poverty of his origin, and therefore of his exceeding good report, that, excepting his immediate family, none answering to his name could be discovered. Mrs. Lincoln's relatives were present, however, in some force. Dr. Lyman Beecher Todd, General John D. S. Todd, C. M. Smith, Esq., and Mr. N. W. Edwards, the late President's brother-in-law. Plain, self made people were here and were sincerely affected. Captain Robert Lincoln sat during the services with his face in his handkerchief weeping quietly, and little Tad his face red and heated, cried as if his heart would break. Mrs. Lincoln, weak, worn, and nervous, did not enter the East room nor follow the remains. She was the chief magistrate's lady yesterday; to-day a widow bearing only an immortal name. Among the neighbors of the late President, who came from afar to pay respect to his remains, was one old gentleman who left Richmond on Sunday. I had been upon the boat with him and heard him in hot wrangle with some officers who advised the summary execution of all rebel leaders. This the old man opposed, when the feeling against him became so intense that he was compelled to retire. He counselled mercy, good faith, and forgiveness. To-day, the man who had called him a traitor, saw him among the family mourners, bent with grief. All these are waiting in solemn lines, standing erect, with a space of several feet between them and the coffin, and there is no bustle nor unseemly curiosity, no prayer, not a rustle—only the collected nation looking with awed heart upon eminent death.

STRANGE CONTRASTS.

This scene is historic. I regret that I must tell you of it at so little wise, for it is a limit of all extemporization. In this high, spacious, elegant apartment, laughter and levee, social pleasantry and refined badinage had often held their session. Dancing and music had made these mirrors thrill with each new reflected pair, and the most beautiful women of their day had mingled here with men of brilliant favor, now only a very few, brave enough to look upon death, wire wearing funeral weeds. The pleasant face of Mrs. Kate Sprague looks out from these; but such scenes gain little additional power by beauty's presence. And this wonderful relief was carved at one blow by John Wilkes Booth.

THE RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

The religious services began at noon. They were remarkable not only for their association with the national event, but for a tremendous political energy which they had. While none of the prayers or speeches exhibited great literary carefulness, or will obtain perpetuity on their own merits, they were full of feeling and expressed all the intense concern of the country. Dr. Hall, an Episcopalian, read some verses of Scripture in a distinct but somewhat abrupt voice, introducing the beautiful stanza, "For I am a stranger with thee and a sojourner as all my fathers were." A deep Amen, from all the people, followed the concluding tones.

PRAYER.

Then Bishop Simpson, in a sweet, finely intonated voice, which almost made the hearers weep, prayed at the head of the coffin, standing, and extemporaneously. He gave to his appeal all that Methodist fervency which distinguishes him. Speaking to that "God to whom empires are only men, and who sitteth in the circle of the heavens, who could make the wrath of the world to praise him, deal not in anger with us, nor again give success to the amazing strokes. Keep the new ruler and his wise counsellors in thy holy keeping, and make of them such stuff as lay in him for whom the grave is waiting. For his love, gentleness and goodness we praise thee, and for his sterling, simple devotion with those abilities which he gave to the welfare of his country. We praise thee that he lived to see the crumbling of the citadel of the rebellion, in sight of a glorious destiny, and when his philanthropic declaration had become an accepted fact. The weapon which struck him down could not bind anew the chains of the long enslaved. They and we were free and the hopes of the wicked had come to naught. God of our fathers we praise thee for the national life, and that with this dead body in the way to glory, we still have able [illegible]

DR. GURLEY'S ADDRESS.

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THE CLOSING PRAYER.

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TO THE GRAVE.

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THE PROCESSION.

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Alexandria Mourns the Good President's Loss.

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IN THE CAPITOL.

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FUNERAL SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES.

Immense Attendance—Sermons by Rev. Drs. Tyng, Adams, McClintock, Hitchcock, Chapin, Thompson, Cook, Taylor, Williams, Rev. Fathers Starrs, Mooney and Many Others—The Jewish Synagogues—Services in the Colored Churches.

Probably no previous occasion ever called out such an absolutely immense attendance at all the various churches of the city as that of yesterday. Apparently almost the entire population of the city gathered at the various places of worship, to testify in such manner their reverence and respect for the late President Lincoln, and their execration of the horrible deed by which he was taken away from the American people in the very hour of national triumph. Nearly everybody wore badges of crape on the left arm, or small pictures of the President draped in black or surrounded with ribbons. We present below a report of the various sermons of interest preached throughout the city.

St. George's Church.

The public sentiment of deep and heartfelt bereavement was shown in a marked degree by the number and demeanor of the congregation which assembled here. [illegible]

Madison-Square Presbyterian Church.

ADDRESS BY REV. WILLIAM ADAMS, D. D.

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confidence gave to those first assertions of others they were not to him. Mr. Lincoln was in the same good humor with himself and with all the world, and, after saying the above, very much more that amounted to the same thing, he said that he had been told that Mr. Seward was in favor of the Emancipation Proclamation and supported the policy of the Administration in relation to it, but that he (Mr. Lincoln) had been informed to the contrary, and he would like to know from Mr. Seward himself what was the truth. Mr. Seward replied that he was in favor of the Proclamation, and that when he could conceive of any other means more likely to restore the peace of the country than the Proclamation, he would adopt them; but that he could conceive of no other means, and therefore he supported the Proclamation. He had opposed the policy of arming the slaves, but had acquiesced in the general measure when it was decided upon, and had done what he could to carry it out. He had also opposed the policy of arming colored troops, but had changed his opinion in relation to that also, and had contributed to the success of that measure. He had been perfectly willing that Mr. Lincoln should issue the Proclamation, and had contributed to the success of carrying it out, whenever that was practicable. The President had questioned whether the Proclamation was constitutional. Mr. Seward had not presented his judgment on that question, but had left it to the President to decide for himself. He had considered it as a war measure, and had supported it as such. He had considered it as the best means of restoring the peace of the country. There had been perfect unity between the President and himself in the object of carrying on the war to a successful issue, and in the means of doing it. The President had questioned whether the Proclamation would not be regarded by foreign nations as a confession of weakness. Mr. Seward had replied that he did not think so, but that, if they should so regard it, it would be a matter which he could not control, and which he could not prevent. The President had questioned whether the Proclamation would not be regarded by foreign nations as a step backward in the progress of the war. Mr. Seward had replied that he did not think so, but that, if they should so regard it, they would be mistaken

this great nation might be peaceful, prosperous and happy.

St. John's (R. C.) Church.

The services at this church began at the appointed hour, 10½ A. M. The mass was celebrated by the Rev. Dr. McMahon, after which the choir chanted the *Miserere*. The congregation was quite large, and expressed, by their mournful appearance, how deeply they felt the great national calamity.

St. Paul the Apostle's (R. C.) Church.

The altar of this church was draped in deep mourning. There was no sermon delivered, but the mass was celebrated and conducted by the Rev. Father Hecker. The choir sang the *Dies Iræ* from the Gregorian chant, with a full chorus; the Sanctus and Benedictus from T. J. Wallace's six-voice mass without accompaniment, and the *Miserere* in double chant. The litany of the saints was then repeated, with the collect, and Bishop England's beautiful prayer for the President, and all in high authority. The congregation was very large, and the ceremonies were solemn and impressive.

Zion (Colored) Church.

This edifice, located on the corner of Bleecker and West Tenth streets, appeared on the exterior and interior in an elaborate dress of mourning. The triangular portico over the entrance was covered with semicircular folds of black cloth, intermingled with white streamers, and the principal doors of the porch were also draped. The pulpit and reading-desk, and the galleries and organ-chamber were also robed in black. At noon there was an immense congregation of colored people and some white persons in the edifice, who remained for several hours during the services, which were throughout impressive. After the usual prayers,

The Rev. Sullivan T. Jones, the pastor, delivered a lengthy discourse on the assassination of the late President and the results which might follow from the event. He eulogized the character of the chief magistrate as one who had honored the nation and the human race by his career. His loss, however, continued the preacher, cannot destroy the work in which he took such a glorious part; for God, in his righteousness, will cause liberty to prevail and be acknowledged by the whole land. It was their duty then, to mingle their sorrow with the whole people in mourning the great loss which the nation has sustained.

The organist then performed several dirges, funeral hymns were sung, selections of appropriate scriptures read, and prayers offered for the country.

Addresses were then delivered by Superintendent Bishop and others.

ROBBED IN A PORTER-HOUSE.—Alexander Rowley, of No. 352 West street, appeared before Judge Dodge, at the Jefferson Market Police Court, yesterday, and entered a complaint against James Irving, James Barker, and Henry Lyons, whom he charges with having robbed him of a silver watch valued at sixty dollars, in the porter-house kept by Barker, in Tenth avenue, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets. Rowley alleges that he was seized by Irving, who stole the watch from him, and the other prisoners aided and abetted in the robbery. Irving was committed to answer in default of $2,000 bail. The other prisoners were also committed.

SHOOTING AFFAIR.—John McNeil, of No. 141 Seventh avenue, went into the porter-house of John Reade, No. 159 Seventh avenue, at about 1 o'clock Wednesday, and became involved in an altercation with a young man named William H. Ryan, who drew a six-barreled revolver and threatened to shoot McNeil. A struggle ensued, and the pistol was discharged. The ball from the weapon struck McNeil's vest pocket, and, glancing off, struck him in the side at about the eighth rib, causing a slight wound. Officer Cavanagh, of the Twenty-ninth precinct, arrested Ryan, and he was held to answer for the shooting by Justice Dodge.

REMARKABLE ESCAPE FROM INSTANT DEATH.—On Tuesday night an infant child, aged three years, of Mr. Prentice, residing at No. 252 West Thirty-fifth street, fell from the two-story window of the premises to the basement below, and strange to say was not instantly killed. The child was, however, severely injured. Medical aid was summoned, and an examination showed that no bones were broken, and the infant is expected to recover.

LARCENY OF GREENBACKS.—Officer Field, of the Fifth precinct, arrested on Wednesday Robert Randall and his wife, who live at No. 476 Greenwich street, and who stand charged with having stolen two hundred and twenty dollars in legal-tender notes from John Bradley, of 229 West Seventeenth street. It is alleged that the complainant stayed at the house of the defendants all night, and on retiring to rest placed his pantaloons on the washstand in the room, the money then being in one of the pockets. The following morning Bradley missed the money, and subsequently Officer Field found two hundred and fifteen dollars in bills secreted under the carpet of the room where he had slept. Justice Hogan committed the prisoners for trial.

A DISHONEST DOMESTIC.—Mary Ann Clancy, who has been employed for some time past as a domestic at the Howard House, corner of Broadway and Maiden Lane, was taken into custody on Wednesday, by Officer Field, of the Fifth precinct, charged with having, at various times, stolen towels, pillow cases, sheets, etc., and various other articles from the hotel. Mary Ann confessed her guilt, and stated that she had been advised to steal by Mrs. Louisa Faccio, a French woman, residing at No. 9 Wooster street. Mrs. Faccio's premises were searched and property, amounting to seventy-five dollars, was found there, which was identified by Mr. Benjamin Lynde, one of the proprietors of the hotel. A complaint for receiving stolen goods was made against Mrs. Faccio, and both the women were held for trial by Justice Hogan.

CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION, MADISON AVENUE, CORNER THIRTY-FIFTH STREET.—The following persons were elected for the ensuing year:

Wardens—Samuel M. Valentine, George F. Nesbitt.

Vestrymen—Henry Eyre, William B. Clerke, Edgar M. Crawford, Henry A. Oakley, L. P. Therasson, J. Hobart Herrick, A. Foster Higgins, William G. Ward.

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work when you go hence. If you consummate it with the same resolution, the foul blot of human slavery will be removed from the escutcheon of the state. I shall say nothing of the future condition of the negro, nor of the elective franchise. First reorganize; time and experience will regulate the rest. Let us first get rid of slavery; let there be no bickering or conflict till we get that out of the way. This being done, we will take up other questions, and dispose of them as they arise. Who could have anticipated three years ago that we would have progressed thus far? Let us, like wise men, hold ourselves in readiness to manage the new questions which may arise in the future. There is no need of giving ourselves trouble prematurely.

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Go home, not as rivals, but as friends, resolved to save the state, and wipe out slavery. To do this is enough for one man to live for. A life spent in accomplishing a result like this is well spent. Though some for a while may sneer, the time will come when the nation will be utterly astonished that this great monopoly has been submitted to so long. Let no man, then, delude himself with the dream, the vague hope, that he still holds on to slavery; let him cut the cord at once, and he will feel a great deal easier. Nor let any man suppose that I think that any portion of the populace should be turned forth as loafers without work. The sooner we get out of this transition state—which is always the worst—the better for us, the better for the negroes. In five years from now the labor of the black man will be more productive than ever, for freedom simply means liberty to work, and enjoyment of the products of one's labor. Let us try to comprehend the times in which we live, and the great principles which are at work. There is a breaking up of old combinations, and men are coming together by their natural affinities. Old parties are disintegrating, and new ideas, thrown out among men of mind, form the basis of new parties. Here is the great contest of philanthropy, of sound reason, of humanity, whose foundation is the Christian religion; a bow of promise, whose base rests upon the horizon, and whose span arches the universe. In the midst of the darkness which has been resting on the land for three years—a darkness deeper than that of the dark ages—from you, sitting in the midst of carnage and of death, has gone forth a light to illuminate the world and teach mankind that you can be free. I feel that God smiles on what you have done, and that it meets the approbation of the hosts that surround him. Oh how it contrasts with the shrieks, and the cries, and wailings which the institution of slavery has brought on the land! Look along the battle-fields of Tennessee—at the new-made graves—witness your countrymen perishing in battle; see even the Goddess of Liberty, struggling through desolation, carnage, and blood, and almost driven from our borders! Might I not say with the poet:

"O bloodiest picture in the book of time!"

And yet out of all this gloomy scene, beams a light to illuminate the world in future years. As your fellow-citizen, who expects in some of your valleys to deposit his bones, I thank you again for the noble work which you have done.

There is such a demand for Napoleon's "Life of Cæsar" in Austria and Germany that the Vienna bookseller Gerold will hardly fail to make a large profit, although he has to pay the Paris publisher 76,000f. for the copyright.

A fast youth in New London recently stole $90 from his mother, spent $30 of it in riding out, and was arrested.

By act of the Legislature the village of Lockport, N.Y., has been changed to a city.

FOREIGN COMMERCIAL.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.—Consols closed on the 7th at 90⅛ a 90¼, for money. Less buoyancy in the tone of the market, and a slight general decline took place in the funds.

Money was abundant. The bank rate remained at 4 per cent.

The weekly returns of the Bank of England show a decrease in the bullion of £103,566 sterling.

Baring Brothers & Co. quote bar silver 5s. ½d., dollars, 4s. 11½d.; eagles, 76s. 2¼d.

AMERICAN SECURITIES.—Baring Brothers & Co. say: Upon the arrival of the last telegraphic news, the price of five-twenty bonds was for a moment pushed up to 59 a 60, but it has now settled down to 57½ a 58. Other stocks remain quiet, and prices chiefly nominal. Erie shares, 33½ a 34¼. Illinois Central, 60¼ a 61¼.

LIVERPOOL, April 8—A. M.

COTTON.—The Brokers' Circular says: "The increase of business in the cotton market on Thursday of last week, was followed by greater activity on Friday, accompanied by a marked advance in long stapled descriptions; but on Saturday the demand fell off, and prices have since drooped, and closed on Thursday with a further general decline. Though American has been in improved demand, the quotations are partially reduced about ½d. per lb. Sea Island is much neglected and has declined 1d. a 2d. during the last fortnight. The decline during the week on other descriptions ranges from ½d. a 1d. per lb. Sales of the week, 42,480 bales, including 4,750 to speculators, and 5,940 for export. The official quotations are as follows:

	Fair.	Middling.
New Orleans	14¼d.	13½d.
Mobile	14¼d.	....
Uplands	14¼d.	16d.
Texas	14¼d.	13½d.

Yesterday (Friday) the market continued dull, with sales of about 4,000 bales. The stock on hand is 605,020 bales, including 61,880 American. At sea from India 297,000 bales.

Trade at Manchester continues very depressed and the market yesterday was almost a blank, so far as business was concerned. [illegible]

BREADSTUFFS.—Messrs. Richardson, Spence & Co., Wakefield, Nash & Co., and others report: Flour dull but nominally unaltered. [illegible] Wheat, very little business doing, [illegible]

MARINE NEWS.

SAILING DAYS OF STEAMSHIPS.

FROM THE UNITED STATES.

Names.	Leaves.	Date.	For.
Edinburg	New York	Apl 22	Liverpool
Hecla	New York	Apl 22	Liverpool

For Latest Marine News see Eighth page.

SUN RISES	5 13	MOON RISES	morn 1 53
SUN SETS	6 44	HIGH WATER	morn 3 48

To find the time of High Water at Sandy Hook deduct 41 minutes from the above. For High Tide at Hell Gate add 1 hour and 41 minutes.

Port of New York....... April 19, 1865

Arrived.

U S steam transport Continental, Sumner, New Orleans 14th inst, with mdse and passengers to U S Quartermaster.

U S steam transport Mary Boardman, Jordan, Morehead City, NC, 3 days, to U S Quartermaster.

U S steam transport Thos A Scott, O'Brien, Beaufort, NC, via Fortress Monroe, to U S Quartermaster.

U S steam transport Catharine Whiting, Cobb, Wilmington, NC, to U S Quartermaster.

U S steam transport Nevada, Oates, Alexandria, to U S Quartermaster.

U S steam transport Daniel Webster, Bolger, Alexandria, to U S Quartermaster.

Steamship Pennsylvania (Br), Grogan, Liverpool April 4, via Queenstown 5th, with mdse and 438 passengers to Williams & Guion. 13th, lat 43 40, lon 47 20, passed steamship Damascus, from Portland for Liverpool; 11th, 8 AM, passed steamship Etna, hence for do; same day, 2 PM steamship New York, hence for Bremen.

Steamship Persia (Br), Lott, Liverpool 8th inst and Queenstown 9th, with mdse and passengers to E Cunard.

Steamship Eagle, Lawrence, Havana 15th inst, with mdse and passengers to Spofford, Tileston & Co.

Steamship Oceanus, Young, Charleston via Fortress Monroe, with passengers to master.

Ship D H Wätjen (Brem), Jollrien, Ocos Feb 27, in ballast, to O Lulling & Co.

Bark Marie Merion (Br), Woodward, Trieste, Gibraltar 32 days, with mdse to A Jacquemot & Co. Lost head rails, split sails, and stove bulwarks. To the southward of the Gulf, passed large quantities of spars adrift.

Bark Robert Leonard (Br), Hilton, Leghorn 61 days, with mdse to Edmiston Bros.

Brig C Robbins (Br), Perkins, Matamoras 37 days, with cotton to B J Wenberg.

Brig Tentemer (Br), Anderson, Matamoras 28 days, in ballast, to Miller & Houghton.

Brig Caracas (Br), Bright, Havana 11 days, with sugar to Renauld, Francois & Co.

Brig Lotus (Br), Fowner, Matanzas 14 days, with sugar to Brett, Son & Co.

Brig John G. Johnson, of and 14 days from Nassau, with sugar, cotton, &c, to Jos Eneas.

Sch Grail (Br), Colbrant, Para 26 days, with rubber, &c, to James Bishop & Co. Left brig Prince of Wales, in quarantine.

Sch Clara (Br), Rice, Cornwallis 12 days, with 6000 bush potatoes to Dorsea & Hyde.

Sch Adeline (Br), Petlit, Parsboro, NS, with potatoes to Dorsea & Hyde.

Sch D Gillespie (Br), Smith, Windsor, NS, 19 days, with plaster to D R De Wolf & Co.

Sch Albert Mason, Brown, Norfolk.

Sch H W Morse, Crowell, Virginia.

Sch H C Bartlett, Caro, Virginia, with ping logs to S E Havens.

Sch Wm Thomas, White, Elizabethport for Boston.

Sch E M Dyer, Birch, Saugerties 6 days, with lumber to Jed Frye.

Sch Pavilion, Snow, Portland for Baltimore.

Sch Sarah, French, Rockland.

Sch Empress, Emery, Rockland.

Sch Vicksburg, Hodges, Rockland.

Sch Harriet, Wiggins, Rockland.

Sch Mary Hall, Bowlio, Rockland.

Sch Walter C Hall, Spear, Rockland.

Sch Nautilus, Pillsbury, Rockland.

Sch Superior, Haloh, Rockland.

Below.

Bark Mary C Dyer, 6 days from Cuba.

Bark Sunshine, from Cow Bay.

Sailed.

Steamers Tonawanda, Escort, Dudley Buck; ships G von Brabant, Adele, Caroline Nesmith, America; barks Pirlen, Chilton, Princess Royal, Argean, Cornelia; brigs Harvest Queen, Irene, D R De Wolf, Simrod, W W Lord, Harriet, Ocean Wave, John Stevens, "Aolene," T A Darrell, Hydra, Montezuma, Our Maggie; schs Young America, John J Hoolen, Mary Olown, W P Orr, Fair Wind, Poughkeepsie, S Robert, A Kelly, Vapor, Maria, Sarah Mingo, Joe Nickerson, Sally Ann, H Brewster, R Mason, H Cole, C R Vickery, W B Thomas, T Boardman, L A Hasler, Waveto, Green Wave, E S Potter, Rebecca, H B Metcalf, Stedman, J Paine, Danl Floyd, Sargent, Collins, J H Franklin, J D Hine, John Wright, B S Sherman, Ann T Peler, Goddrea, Modena, Lamartine, Honolulu, Susan, Alcomar, Boston, Medicator, Olde Brice, James Nelson, Compromise, S T Foss, E Hasler, Acorn [illegible]

Wind at sunset S, light.

Disasters.

A telegram received at London April 6, dated Calcutta, April 2, 4 35 PM, states that the ship Trumbull, Capt McCollum, had been burnt at Akyab. [The T registered 656 tons, was built at Mystic, Ct, in 1863, and hailed from New York.]

Miscellaneous.

Steamship Eagle, Capt Lawrence, from Havana, arrived to-day, made the passage in three days and nineteen hours. [illegible] at Newport 16th, lost jibboom in collision with another vessel, when coming out of Holmes's Hole on the 17th. [illegible]

Bark Lone Star, 378 tons, built at Warren, Me, in 1857, was sold (as she arrived from sea) at auction at East Boston on Tuesday, for $4000. Messrs Dolliver & Sleeper were the purchasers.

The report of sch Matanzas, ashore at Cedar Tree Neck, Vineyard Sound, being full of water, was incorrect. She was perfectly tight at 4 PM on Monday, and lighters were alongside taking out cargo. The probability was that she would be got off on Tuesday should the weather continue moderate.

Spoken.

March 4, lat 3 N, lon 25 20 W, ship St James (Am), from Europe, bound S.

March 17, lat 23 76 S, lon 38 25 W, Am ship "Pregel," bound S.

Foreign Ports.

Liverpool—Ar 4th inst, bark Zoobyr, Lane, Havre. [illegible]

[Per Persia.]

Ar at Liverpool 7th inst, Wm Tapscott, Warren, New York.

Cld 5th, Deutschland, Soule, Portland; 7th, Sir Robt Peel, Larrabee, New York.

Sld 5th, Jos Foster Jr, Abeal, New York; 7th, City of Limerick (s), Jones, do.

Ent out 5th, Queen, Mitchell, and John Bright, Decan, New York; 6th, Louisiana (s), Aspinall; City of Washington (s), Brooks, and Excelsior, Pendleton, do; 7th, North American (s), Kerr, Portland; Peruvian (s), Ballantine, Boston (s), Hosmer; do; [illegible], Bailey, New York.

Ar at London 7th, Benjamin Pratt, London; Mary Alice, Cook, Boston.

[illegible]

since, which put in here Aug 30 leaky, is to be sold by auction March 14.

Pernambuco, March 1—Ship J O Baker, from Callao for England, was stranded N of this port Feb 24, but got off with little or no damage, and proceeded.

Domestic Ports.

NEWPORT—Ar 16th, sch Mexico, Burdick, Fall River for New York.

Returned, sch Denmark, Chase, New York for Boston.

At 18th schs Seaside, Small, Dennis for New York; Nelson Wells, Ryder, Gloucester for do; Antelope, Norton, Rockland for do; A J Dyer, Rogers, Jonesboro for do; Mary Fletcher, Tracy, St Andrews, NB, for do; Julia, Kelley, Addison for do; Albatross, Gatherwood, Rockland for do.

Ar 18th, schs Sahara, Machias for New York; J P Wallace, New York for Boston.

PAWTUCKET—Sld 18th, sch M Marshon, Brightman, New York.

PROVIDENCE—Ar 18th, steamer Galatea, Jones, New York.

Old 18th, sch Lady Suffolk, Pendleton, New York.

AUCTION NOTICES.

R. T. HAZELL, Auctioneer.

Important Special Sale of SHEFFIELD POCKET AND TABLE CUTLERY, &c., &c., &c.

J. E. HALSEY & CO., Auctioneers, Will sell ON FRIDAY, APRIL 21, On the Premises, No. 16 COLLEGE PLACE, between Warren and Murray By Order of MESSRS. H. LEON & CO., (Who are Declining Business,) their entire Stock of POCKET AND TABLE CUTLERY, SCISSORS, SHEARS, RAZORS, &c., Comprising in part

6,000 Dozen Fine SHEFFIELD POCKET KNIVES, of 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 Blades, in Shell, Pearl, Ivory, Buffalo, Stag and Cocoa, fresh Importations and selected especially for this market.

ALSO,

4,000 Dozen English TABLE KNIVES and FORKS, Full assortments, together with fine lines of ENGLISH CUTLERY ON CARDS, FINE SHEFFIELD RAZORS, GUNS AND RIFLES, PERCUSSION CAPS, PISTOLS, PADLOCKS, TEA AND TABLE SPOONS, &c. Also, IVORY CARVERS, together with Shelving, Store Fixtures, Desks, Safes, &c.

We would call the particular attention of the Trade to this sale, as the goods are of Fresh Importation, and will be sold without reserve; the firm closing their business in this country.

Catalogues will be ready two days before the sale, (when the goods will be open for examination) and may be had on the premises, or by application to

J. E. HALSEY & CO., Auctioneers, 5 GOLD Street, N. Y.

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RICHARD WARREN, Auctioneer.

AUCTION NOTICE.

TOWNSEND, MONTANT & CO. Will sell ON FRIDAY, APRIL 21, at 10 o'clock, At Store, NO. 140 DUANE STREET, RICH RIBBONS, A Full Assortment.

See Auction head. d19

EDWARD L. CORLIES, Auctioneer.

AUCTION NOTICE.

RIBBONS, MILLINERY SILKS, &c.

KOBBE & CORLIES Will hold ON SATURDAY, April 22, at 10 o'clock at their Sales rooms, NO. 87 AND 89 LEONARD ST., On a Credit of Four Months, A Large and Important Sale of ST. ETIENNE AND BASLE RIBBONS, MILLINERY SILKS, PARIS MALINES, &c., Including

1,000 Cartons richest qualities and styles No. 4 to 60 plain and Broche BONNET and TRIMMING RIBBONS, including some of the most favorite importations, and in the choicest shades and widths.

ALSO,

Full and complete assortments of White, and Black and Colored, all boiled GRO DE NAPLES, White TARLETANS, Paris all Silk MALINES, &c.

For particulars see Auction Head.

AUCTION NOTICE.

RICHARD WARREN, Auctioneer.

(The Sale of Goods advertised by us, by order of Messrs. BENKARD & HUTTON, for This Day, is postponed for one week, on account of the death of President Lincoln.)

LARGE SPECIAL SALE OF FRENCH AND BRITISH DRY GOODS, Including LUPIN'S CELEBRATED SUMMER FABRICS, MOUSSELINE DE LAINES, &c.

[illegible] BENKARD & HUTTON [illegible]

AUCTION NOTICES.

EDWARD L. CORLIES, Auctioneer.

AUCTION NOTICE.

FINE IRISH LINENS, LINEN GOODS, &c.

KOBBE & CORLIES Will hold on FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 1865, At 10 o'clock, at their Salesrooms, 87 and 89 Leonard St., On a Credit of Four Months, A Large and Attractive Sale of FINE IRISH LINENS, DOUBLE DAMASK TABLE COVERS, BIRDS-EYE DIAPERS, L. C. HDKFS, &c.,

For the particulars of which they refer to the advertisement under Auction Head,

ALSO, WHITE GOODS AND EMBROIDERIES.

ALSO, PARIS KID GLOVES, English and German Lisle Thread, Cotton and Lawn GLOVES, &c.

ALSO, 2,000 Dozen Paris Silk RIBBON AND TUBULAR TIES.

ALSO, 100 Dozen Diamond and Straight Tied HOOP SKIRTS, of a celebrated manufacture. d17

JAMES H. PRENTICE, Auctioneer.

AUCTION NOTICE.

The Governor of the State having appointed THURSDAY, April 20, as a day of Mourning, this is to give notice that the regular Trade Sale, falling due on that day, will be held at my Warehouse,

COR. RAYMOND AND WILLOUGHBY STREETS, BROOKLYN, L. I., ON FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 1865, At 11 o'clock,

When, in connection with the regular assortment of HATS, will be offered the entire balance of TROPICAL HATS.

The Sale will be large and worthy the attention of the trade.

Catalogues morning of sale. d19-4

DIVIDENDS.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

The following Dividends have been declared payable APRIL 29, to Shareholders of record April 22, 1865.

BRIGGS GOLD COMPANY,

Tenth Dividend............ Three Dollars Per Share.

McKINLEY OIL COMPANY,

Seventh Dividend.................. Four Per Cent.

CLIFTON PETROLEUM COMPANY,

Third Dividend............ One and Half Per Cent.

FOUNTAIN PETROLEUM COMPANY,

DEVON OIL COMPANY,

First Dividend.................. Three Per Cent.

LOOMIS OIL COMPANY,

First Dividend.................. Three Per Cent.

Transfer Books closed from April 22d to 30th.

WALTER E. LAWTON, Treasurer, No. 61 JOHN Street, New-York.

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PITTSBURG, APRIL 12, 1865.—THE Board of Directors of the Columbia Oil Company have this day declared a dividend (No. 17), of TWO (2) Per Cent. on the capital stock, payable on THURSDAY, the 20th instant. E. WESTERVELT, Secretary.

Eastern stockholders will receive their dividends at the Transfer office, No. 42 CEDAR Street, New-York. J. B. WEIR, Transfer Agent.

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OFFICE OF THE HEYDRICK BROTHERS OIL COMPANY, No. 89 BROADWAY, ROOM 41. NEW-YORK, April 10, 1865.

The Trustees of this Company have this day declared a Dividend of THREE Per Cent. (free from Government Tax), on their Capital Stock, payable on and after April 20, to Stockholders of record on the 15th inst. The transfer book will be closed from April 15th to the 21st inclusive. CHAS. B. BLAINE, Secretary.

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FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE COLUMBIAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, CORNER OF WALL AND NASSAU STREETS.

CASH CAPITAL .... [illegible]

From statement for the Seventh fiscal year ending December 31, 1864:

Total amount of Assets, January 1, 1865	[illegible]
Total amount of Premiums	[illegible]
Excess of earned Premiums over Losses, &c.	[illegible]
Reserve for estimated claims unadjusted and other contingencies	[illegible]
Guaranteed cash Dividend to Dealers, (holding certificates of same) on paid premiums earned during the year, whether loss has accrued or not	[illegible]
Interest on Scrip issues of 1863 and 1864	[illegible] Per Cent.
Scrip Dividend to Dealers, on earned premiums	12 Per Cent.
Dividend for the year to Stockholders	31 Per Cent.

[illegible] Company will be allowed the option, [illegible]

FINANCIAL.

WILMERDING, CORNWELL & HECKSCHER, BANKERS, BROKERS, and UNITED STATES LOAN AGENTS, No. 5 NEW Street, New-York,

Buy and Sell on Commission all classes of Government Securities, Stocks, Bonds, Gold, &c.

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Moses Taylor, Esq., New-York.
Henry F. Vail, Esq., New-York.
Hon. Hugh McCulloch, Washington.
Jay Cooke, Esq., Philadelphia.
O. W. Davis, Esq., New-York. d15-tf

GEO. G. BYRON & CO., BANKERS AND BROKERS, 71 BROADWAY.

Interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum allowed on deposits. Principal and interest payable on demand.

Approved Petroleum Securities bought and sold on commission. c31-26

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Dealers in Government Securities of all kinds.

American and Foreign Gold and Silver Coin and uncurrent Bank Notes bought and sold on best terms.

Government Securities, Stocks, Bonds, and Gold bought and sold on commission. d14-7

COAL AT COST.

CONSUMERS' BENEFIT COAL COMPANY. SHARES, $10.

Each share entitles the holder to one ton of coal per year, at the cost of mining, transportation and delivery (which is now about $8 per ton); also to a share of the profits on the sale of coal produced beyond the quantity supplied to shareholders.

Those who buy for investment can have the coal they will be entitled to sold for their benefit, and receive the proceeds over the cost in cash.

Investment in this stock is not a risk, for Anthracite Coal lands are rapidly rising in value.

The shares to be sold are limited, and are nearly all subscribed for. Immediate application is necessary to secure any.

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Hon. ALFRED M. WOOD, Mayor of Brooklyn.
CHARLES JENKINS, President of East River Bank.
JOHN L. DOUGLASS, Secretary Merchants' Ins. Co.
JOHN C. ANDERSON, 106 Broadway.
WM. P. STANDISH, Coal Dealer, 71 Broadway.
CHAS. H. APPLEGATE, C. H. Applegate & Bro. d18-8

DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO., BANKERS, corner of PINE and NASSAU Streets, New-York, issue Circular Notes and Letters of Credit for travelers, available in all the cities in the world. Also, Mercantile credits for use in Europe, China, &c. a19-thstu

CITY OF NEW-YORK, DEPARTMENT of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 3, 1865.—Temporary loans will be received at this office, in sums not less than $1,000, for which "Revenue Bonds" will be issued, payable in 4 to 6 months, with interest at the rate of SEVEN Per Cent. per annum. MATTHEW T. BRENNAN, Comptroller.

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OFFICE OF THE KNICKERBOCKER ICE COMPANY, 429 CANAL street, New-York, March 20, 1865.—Notice.—There will be an election of the stockholders of this company on Tuesday, the 18th day of April next ensuing, to elect nine trustees and two inspectors of election for said company.

The polls will be open from 12 o'clock M. until 1 o'clock P. M., one hour. A. BARMORE, President.

M. G. LEONARD, Secretary. c21-6,2aw,tmf

SIX PER CENT., FREE FROM GOVERNMENT TAX.

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PRESENT DEPOSITS, $1,675,000.

SIX PER CENT. interest paid on all sums from $1 to $1,000, free from Government tax.

All moneys deposited on or before April 21 will draw interest from the 1st.

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PUBLIC PETROLEUM STOCK EXCHANGE, 73 BROADWAY, New-York, April 11th, 1865.—The large and handsome Office, No. 10 NEW street, 60x18 feet, Globe Hotel buildings, is to let. The office is well lighted, and especially adapted to the banking and brokerage business, being in the immediate vicinity of all the Stock Boards and the Gold-Room. For further particulars apply to W. L. JACKSON, Secretary. d18-tf

MONEY PAID BY TELEGRAPH IN CALIFORNIA AND OREGON

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CALIFORNIA STATE AND SAN FRANcisco City Coupons purchased at best rates by DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO., BANKERS, Corner PINE and NASSAU Streets, New-York. a30-1mw-tf

OFFICE OF THE STREET COMMISsioner, 237 Broadway.—To Contractors.—Proposals inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the work, and with the name of the bidder written thereon, will be received at this office until WEDNESDAY, April 26, 1865, at 11 o'clock A. M.,

For regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging One Hundredth street, between Eighth avenue and Broadway.

For curb, gutter, and flagging Fifty-fifth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

For curb, gutter, and flagging Sixtieth street, between First and Second avenues.

For setting and resetting curb and gutter in Third avenue, between Forty-sixth and Eighty-sixth streets.

For flagging Forty-fourth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

For filling sunken lots in Seventy-eighth street, north side, between First and Second avenues.

Blank forms of proposals, together with the specifications and agreements, can be obtained at this office. Dated Street Department, New-York, April 15, 1865. CHARLES G. CORNELL, Street Commissioner.

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ATLANTIC SAVINGS BANK, CHATHAM SQUARE, NEW-YORK. OPEN DAILY.

SIX PER CENT. INTEREST ALLOWED.

Deposits made now, or on or before April 20, will draw interest from April 1.

M. D. VAN PELT, President. CHARLES D. BAILEY, Treasurer.

JOSEPH P. COOPER, Secretary. d17-4

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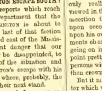

THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 1865.

WILL GENERAL JOHNSTON ESCAPE SOUTH?

Notwithstanding the reports which reach us through the War Department that the Confederate General JOHNSTON is about to surrender his army, we have but little doubt, which mention in the field east of the Mississippi, there is sufficient danger that our heroic enemy may be disorganized, if not actually on examination of the situation and the probability of JOHNSTON's escaping with his army intact to Georgia, where, probably, the Confederates will make their last stand.

There is no doubt General JOHNSTON received early intelligence of the surrender of General LEE; and, with that prudent sagacity for which he is noted, must have at once determined that his only hope for prolonging the struggle, by escaping a fate like himself, was through a rapid withdrawal of his forces to the south of General SHERMAN, before whom he might retreat and destroy the country as he marched, thus rendering it impossible for SHERMAN to follow rapidly. General LEE surrendered on the 9th instant, ten days ago. JOHNSTON was undoubtedly made acquainted with the fact not later than the 11th, but would probably require his army to draw in the positions which the armies of SHERMAN and JOHNSTON occupied on the 9th. SHERMAN was at least three days' march from the main body of the troops to that, provided SHERMAN moved promptly on the 10th, JOHNSTON still had two days the start of him in the race for Carolina.

How far General SHERMAN's operations may aid General SHERMAN in carrying off the retreat of JOHNSTON, is not easy to determine. The presence of a large force of cavalry, Confederate or the rest, is indicated in the order part of General SHERMAN's dispatch, where he says: "From here, (near Silver-ville, south of Salisbury) we shall cross to the south side of the Catawba river, to operate against Charlotte or Columbia, or on the line of the road connecting with them."

We have no idea that General SHERMAN will encounter here any large army other than cavalry considerations; and if it be true that he was at last accounts negotiating with Johnston, it was probably to gain time. What part the General may have depended upon the immediate command of General GRANT may be reaching in the great drama is a question that will be forthcoming to the greatest consternation, without which during the present week another exhaustive campaign seems inevitable, we cannot now determine. It is probable, however, that a large proportion of the cavalry have been dispatched to SHERMAN. In this arm of the service, on important in pursuit, SHERMAN was already largely superior to JOHNSTON, and the aid which he has probably received from Grant may render his preponderance in this respect overwhelming. Allowing SHERMAN to have fallen three days to rest and refit, he has already been seven days on the march, a subsequent time to bring him well upon JOHNSTON's flank. If SHERMAN's cavalry shall have not kept well to the south of JOHNSTON's army, the Confederate commander may by this time find himself harassed in front and on both flanks, by fully twenty-five days and cavalry, under SHERMAN, KILPATRICK and STONEMAN. His supplies will be cut off, his march impeded, if, and in every way his army will be demoralized and distressed. A large quantity of needed supplies were captured and destroyed at Salisbury, and the loss of these may prove fatal to JOHNSTON and his army. And yet twenty-ten thousand rebel prisoners signed paroles. As nearly forty thousand were killed or captured previously, all of LEE's army is accounted for, save a few thousand deserters, scattered for, save a few thousand deserters, scattered here and there, and a few thousand stragglers. As FRYAN is still in Washington, we still seen here of another left-handed attack upon the Lieutenant-General.

THE ASSASSIN OF PRESIDENT LINCOLN.

One of the brilliants of the capture of one of the late President has got into the hands of the United States authorities a letter written by that person last November, and delivered to him at that time for safe keeping by a friend. It has been published, and will be found in our columns this morning.

It is a long and carefully written composition, and, although it throws no direct light upon the deed which has given its author so fearful a place as the annals of crime, it strikingly illustrates the temper and tendencies of his mind. It is selectedly plain, from the fact of this letter, that as long ago as last November BOOTH had planned, not indeed the assassination, but the capture of President LINCOLN, with the object of surrendering him as a prisoner to the rebel government. His letter is a passionate and labored justification of this project, perhaps as much addressed to his own conscience as to the friend with whom it was deposited; and it only really important statement when viewed in the light of recent events, is the assertion that in case he failed in either of his enterprises he should "do duty upon his own responsibility." The letter is most carefully made in the investigation now going on into the great crime of Friday last, and furnishes clearly the chief assassin's antecedents with BOOTH in the plot which was finally executed with so hideous a success.

But it may be fairly inferred, from the letter which we publish to-day, that BOOTH's self-is much more likely to have supplication to have received the deputation which he professes to have, and never may have been the part played in this shocking drama by political passions and sectional fury, it would appear from this strongly recorded autobiograph portrait of the chief assassin's mind and moral state that a morbid vanity and a diseased thirst for exhibiting some overshadowing act in connection with the greatest political personality of the country, would be mingled the conception and the perpetration of the final horror.

Before the "full spirit of slavery," nor the revengeful hiss of feelings wrongly to make us under the trials of civil war, can be considered to have any important connection with the matter. Hence was a fellow-conspirator. His interests were all with the North; and so it is quite probable that he may have been made the tool of conspirators more desperate than himself—all that we can be sure of him is that he was a man with the faculties of bravery, the men of unbalanced nature, and of overweening self-esteem, who, under the influence of the excitement of the time, and the hope of the time, and the hope of the time, and the hope

bottom with the national colors, and no additional tribute of mourning.

Bryant's Minstrels is very gracefully festooned with black and white muslin, and the following notice appears on the entrance:

> Closed in Consequence of the National Bereavement.

Wood's Minstrels, 514 Broadway, had a spirited representation of the bust of Lincoln, on a broken column, and underneath Hope leaning on a broken anchor, over the following inscription:

"The great martyr to liberty."
"Blood like this,
For liberty shed, so holy is,
It would not stain the purest rill
That sparkles among the bowers of bliss!
Oh! if there be on this earthly sphere
A boon, an offering Heaven holds dear,
'Tis the last libation liberty draws
From the heart that bleeds and breaks in her cause."

At Daniel Devlin's upper store, corner of Broadway and Grand street, a fine display was made. On a broken column overhung with *immortelles* in the north window were engraved the following inscriptions:

> He was a good man and just.

> The President dies—we mourn.
> The nation lives—we rejoice.

The display at another store was one of almost barbaric magnificence. The richest silks and satins of all colors, from the sombre black and chaste white to the richest robes of Syrian hue, ornamented the windows. Over the central door was the following motto:

> Our chief is fallen.

In the window this inscription attracted marked attention:

> His life was gentle, and the elements so mixed in him, that nature might stand up and say to all the world "This was a man."

The following mottoe appears on the door of 409 Broadway:

> He is not dead, but liveth in every loyal heart.

542 and 544 Broadway had the following appropriate inscription:

> *There was in this man something that could create, subvert, or reform; an understanding, a spirit, and an eloquence to summon mankind to society, or to break the bonds of slavery asunder, and to rule the wilderness of free minds with unbounded authority; something that could establish and overwhelm empire, and strike a blow in the world that should resound throughout the universe.*

GURNEY'S GALLERY OF ART.

This well known photographic establishment had the following inscription underneath the portrait of Lincoln:

"A martyr to the cause of man,
His blood is freedom's eucharist,
And in the world's great hero-list
His name shall lead the van."

ANSON'S PICTURE GALLERY.

The following appropriate lines adorned the gallery of Mr. Anson, 587 Broadway:

> Weep, generous nation, weep, the swift, the sad removal of him whom Heaven, indulgent, sent to man; too good for earth, to Heaven art thou fled, and left the nation in tears.

The corner of Broadway and Amity street had the following inscription in the window, surrounded by immortelles and camelias:

> The workman dies, but the work goes on.

> He was a man, take him for all in all,
> We ne'er shall look upon his like again.

FREDERICK'S GALLERY.

This gallery, from its peculiar outward con[...]ture, admitted of a fine display, and the op[...] was improved by the enterprising pro[...] Fredericks. Over the entrance, [...] were the following inscription[...]

> In sorrowing tea[...]
> Mankind has [...]

EUROPE.

Confirmation of the Reported Settlement of our Difficulties with Portugal.

THE BELEM FORT SALUTES THE FLAG.

Interesting Debate on the Canadian Defenses.

THE RUSSIAN PLAGUE.

Terrible Ravages made by the Disease,

&c., &c., &c.

The Cunard mail steamer Persia, Captain Lott which left Liverpool at 8 o'clock on the morning of the 8th, and Queenstown on the evening of the 9th April, arrived here yesterday.

Among the passengers is Mr. P. McD. Collins, the projector of the Russo-American telegraph scheme. Mr. Collins has succeeded in concluding the final convention with the Russian government for the construction of the connecting link of the line through the Amoor, and is now on his way to Russian America, for the purpose of setting on foot the commencement of operations through that country.

The London *Daily News* quotes a mercantile letter from Bombay to the effect that a number of the native wealthy merchants had subscribed together twenty-five lacs of rupees (or £250,000 sterling), with a view to buying cotton in England at the existing low prices. This statement, however, is received with little credence.

The *General Correspondenz* of Vienna denies the rumor that the minister of war had informed Marshal Benedek of an expected revolutionary outbreak in Venetia.

The weekly returns of the Bank of France exhibit a decrease in the cash on hand of 1 1-7th million francs.

An amendment to the address in favor of gratuitous and compulsory education was under discussion in the French Corps Legislatif.

The funeral of the late Mr. Cobden took place on the 7th inst., at Lavington Church—close to which his country residence was situated. A large number of members of the House of Commons, and other leading men, were present, and the scene in the country church-yard was solemn and touching. Mr. Bright, who was one of the pall-bearers, was most deeply moved.

AMERICAN AFFAIRS.

The Niagara and the Sacramen[to]—Difficulty with Portugal Sett[led]—American Flag to be Salute[d by the] Guns of the Belem Fort.

L[...]

The difficulty between Am[...] has been amicably settled. [...] Belem Fort has been [...] *to salute the American [...] one guns.*

PORTUGUESE OFF[ICIAL ...]

(From the [...])

The two [...] much [...] became [...] the [...]

which it had already arrived at by an overwhelming majority.

The discussion was continued by Mr. Kinglake, Mr. J. B. Smith, Alderman Rose, and Sir F. Smith.

Major Anson asserted that there was a startling unanimity amongst the officers who had returned from Canada that it was utterly indefensible. Colonel Gairon and Colonel Wetherall—the two ablest engineer officers—had been out there, and had sent in a secret report, which he had reason to believe had astonished the war office. Why was not their report laid on the table, instead of that of Colonel Jervois, who was sent out to report on the best means of defense, and not on the defensibility of the country.

Sir John Packington strongly complained of the course pursued by the government. He believed, on the best authority, that the real report of Colonel Jervois had never been laid on the table at all, but only a covering letter. After trifling with the subject for four years, the government had now given it a most objectionable importance, and now all they actually proposed was to take a paltry sum of £50,000. They had also most disingenuously allowed the house to believe that a compact had been entered into with the Canadian government, which it now turned out was not the case. If a w[ar] should be forced on England, which God f[orbid,] and Canada remain loyal, she must be d[efended] at all costs, for the British empire wo[uld...] and must be maintained by a strict [...] honor and duty, and not by this n[...] practice of counting the probable [...]

Mr. C. Fortescue declared th[...] ment was in possession of no info[rmation ...] sistent with the report of Colon[el ...] explained that fifty thousand p[ounds ...] that they were advised could b[e ex]pended at Quebec during the c[urr]ent year.

General Peel believed that [...] taken Canada could be d[...] showed anything like th[...] federates; in fact, [...] pended and the c[...] lieved that Eng[...] power as Am[...] Canada, if [...] house ought [...] bility of the eve[...]

Mr. Laird urg[...] which could be [...] gether again on [...] potch.

The Marquis of [...] standing the unan[...] which he must re[...] ficer consulted pr[...] had given a very [...] possible to defen[...] the vital points [...] not be worth w[...] tier at all.

Lord Elcho [...]

In the Ho[...] Elcho said [...] about to [...] imperial g[...] fenses of [...] liament [...] rangem[...] had be[...] hundr[...]

Mr. [...] land [...] Q[...]

This is the universal law, for though occasionally the pestilence smites down its victims where these laws have been observed, there the innocent suffer for the guilty—the "cell" of poison has been brought from some locality reeking with corruption.

The prevalence of fever and other diseases, preventible by ordinary care and cleanliness, directed public attention some months since to the fearful condition of many of the bye-ways of this densely populated borough. Much has been done to remove the causes of epidemics, and to induce habits of cleanliness among the poorer classes. But much remains to be done, and it is not when this pestilence may be upon us that we should apply diligently to counteract it. Stronger measures than any yet adopted should be taken now. There should be a general and systematic cleansing of all the lanes and courts of the borough, drainage should be rapidly effected, and everything calculated to vitiate the air should be removed without delay. It is idle to count the cost. We shall have to pay tenfold should the plague visit us, not only in the shape of rates but in uneasiness of mind—which is a loss—in the paralysis of business, and in the deaths of men whom no city could afford to lose. The sanitary measures already effected have had a sensible effect in diminishing the rate of [...] death [...] ble. [...]

Th[e] State Legislature.

TUESDAY, April 18.

When the Legislature re-assembled it was [...] evident that there was very little disposition to go into the consideration of pu[b]lic business, but Senator Bell, I thought, very wisely as very calmly, urged that the day be devoted to the consideration of the pressing public legislation before them, and while he did so, he declared that no grief had ever touched his heart so deeply as had this. I thought Mr. Bell, although in the minority on this subject, had the clear good sense of the question. It was Mr. Clay's judgment that our system of adjournment, for days when such events made their deep impression on the public heart, an error—that in the discharge of public duty was the [...]

[...] is, and return with his officers and troops to their homes. It will [...]

[...] seen that the successor of General Uraga, [...] some time ago withdrew from the com[mand] of the [...] army, and has since identified [himself] with the imperial cause, has followed [...] himself [...] not himself only, but all that remained [...] course, and [...] done the same. In a month fro[m ...] of that army he[...] probably hear that Echeagaray [...] now we shall pr[...] appointed by the Emperor t[o] some confidential posts, [...] Porfirio Diaz have be[...] was the case not lon[g] since with Uraga. Will Ju[arez] and Ortega follo[w] their example.

Mr. Seward's Opinion of the [A]ssassination—Mrs. Lincoln and Her Fa[m]ily.

[Correspondence Commercial Advert[ise]r.]

Said, or rather wrote, Governor Seward [...] *"This is only history repeating itself—all g[rea]t re[v]olutions have their assassins as well as the[ir] heroes."* Let us hope that there are [...] victims, and that the lives [...] of State and [...]

AMUSEMENTS.

BARNUM'S AMERICAN MUSEUM.
THURSDAY, April 2?, 1865.
IMMENSE ATTRACTION.
FIRST TIME IN AMERICA
OF AN
INTENSELY-INTERESTING DRAMA,
GRAND IN CONCEPTION,
IMPRESSIVE IN LANGUAGE,
THRILLING IN EFFECT,
entitled
THE ORANGE GIRL.
This drama was successfully performed in the SURREY THEATRE, LONDON where its
EXCITING INCIDENTS AND EVENTS
ATTRACTED
THRONGED AND APPRECIATIVE AUDIENCES.
Previous to drama
EXTRAVAGANZA-DANCE BY TONY DENIER.
PROF. HUTCHINGS—LIGHTNING CALCULATOR.
WHODBUFF'S BOHEMIAN GLASS-BLOWERS.
TWO GLASS STEAM-ENGINES IN MOTION, FIFTY
LIFE-SIZE MOVING WAX FIGURES,
Fat ... Dwarf, Living

NOTICES.

THE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE WILL, on the part of the City Authorities, meet at Room No. 8 City Hall, at 11 A.M. daily for the purpose of receiving communications from various bodies of our fellow-citizens who may be disposed to take part in the Funeral Obsequies of the late President of the United States.

Alderman JEREMIAH,
Councilman BRINKMAN,
Councilman GREEN,
Conference Committee.

THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE OF THE Board of Councilmen will meet every MONDAY, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Room No. 6, City Hall, to consider all papers before them.

Parties desiring to be heard before the Committee will please to be prompt in attendance.

PATRICK RUSSELL,
JOHN HOUGHTALIN,
PATRICK H. KEENAN,
Committee on Finance.

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THE COMMITTEE ON ASSESSMENTS of the Board of Councilmen will meet every ...

NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION.—THE FIRM OF HOOVER, CALHOUN & CO. is this day dissolved by the retirement of Edward S. Calhoun. The business will be continued by the undersigned under the same firm name.—New-York, April 10, 1865.

JOSEPH B. HOOVER,
PHILO C. CALHOUN,
ADRIAN BEGEMAN, Jr.

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CITY INSPECTOR'S DEPARTMENT.
NEW-YORK, April 17, 1865.
NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.
In consequence of the national bereavement in the assassination of President Lincoln, and the observance of his obsequies on the 19th inst., the removal of ashes and garbage cannot be attended to as during ordinary times; and the citizens are hereby respectfully requested to keep within doors, until after the 19th, their ashes, garbage, and refuse, after which time the work will be resumed as usual.

F. I. A. BOOLE,
City Inspector.

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SUPREME COURT.—IN THE MATTER of the application of the Commissioners of the Central Park relative to the widening of Seventh avenue twenty-five feet on each side thereof from One Hundred and Tenth street to the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, and the opening of Seventh ... of one hundred ... fifty feet, from ...

PETROLEUM.

THE
UNITED REPUBLIC PETROLEUM COMPANY.
Capital $2,500,000.—Shares, 250,000.
Par Value, $10.
Five Hundred Thousand Dollars Working Capital.

OFFICERS:
PRESIDENT.
R. J. LOWBER.
VICE-PRESIDENT.
J. C. DAYTON.
TREASURER.
WM. A. FOWLER.
SECRETARY.
JAMES H. KIDDER.

TRUSTEES.
... firm Lowber, Ostrom & Co., 105 Fro...
... J. C. Dayton & Co., 107 Fron...
... Broadway.
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... Fancher & McChesney, 6 ...
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SUGAR CREEK
PETROLEUM COMPANY.
Capital, only $250,000. .... Shares $5 each.
Working Capital, 6,000 Shares.
President, CHARLES G. JUDSON, Sawyer & Judson 84 and 86 Chambers street.
Vice-President, J. L. EVERITT, Cashier Broadway Bank.
Treasurer, CHARLES GOULD, 53 Wall street.

Ten Wells are now going down on the Company's property in the richest portion of the Sugar Creek Valley. There is room for 500 more. The Trustees will refrain from lengthy advertisement of the prospects of the SUGAR CREEK PETROLEUM COMPANY.

THE STOCK IS NOT WATERED. The projectors depend for their profit solely on a RISE IN ITS MARKET PRICE.

But a few thousand shares will be sold, and those on the only honest basis—viz: AT THEIR PAR VALUE.

The Company's property is worth more than the entire Capital Stock. The latter is so small, indeed, that even a ten-barrel well will pay regular monthly dividends.

PROSPECTUSES AND MAPS CAN BE OBTAINED, AND SUBSCRIPTIONS EFFECTED, BY APPLICATION TO CHAS. G. JUDSON, NO. 81 CHAMBERS STREET; CHARLES GOULD, NO. 53 WALL STREET; J. L. EVERITT, BROADWAY BANK; OR TO EITHER OF THE TRUSTEES.

SUBSCRIPTION BOOKS, FOR THE SALE OF THE STOCK RESERVED AS WORKING CAPITAL, ARE OPENED, FOR A LIMITED PERIOD, AT THE OFFICE OF

E. C. STEDMAN & CO.,
Bankers and Brokers,
No. 51 EXCHANGE Place, N. Y.

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THE
ECLIPSE PETROLEUM COMPANY,
OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.
OFFICE, NO. (25 WILLIAM STREET.)
48 Exchange Place till the 1st of May.
Organized under the Laws of the State of New-York.
Capital Stock.... .... $1,000,000.
Divided into 200,000 Shares. Par Value of $5 per Share Each.
Issued in Payment for the Oil Territory and Property of the Company described in this circular.
NO FURTHER ASSESSMENT.
Working Capital 20,000 of these Shares, and $30,000 in cash in the Treasury.

OFFICERS.
President—DANIEL W. TELLER.
Secretary and Treasurer—JAYME RIERA.
Attorneys and Counsel—COUDERT BROTHERS, 49 Wall Street.

TRUSTEES.
DANIEL W. TELLER, of the late firm of Galway, Casado & Teller.
JAYME RIERA, of the late firm of Riera & Theband.
RAMSAY CROOKS, of the firm of Hamilton & Crooks.
ROBERT A. CHESEBROUGH, No. 120 Maiden Lane.
FELIPE N. CASADO, of the firm of Galway & Casado, No. 161 Pearl Street.
CARLOS MARTI, of the firm of C. Marti & Co., 19 Nassau Street.
A. MORTON FERRIS, of the firm of A. M. Ferris & Brother, 37 Exchange Place.
G. W. HILLMAN, of the firm of G. W. Hillman & Co., No. 108 Front Street.

The Lands of the Company are situated in Morgan County, Ohio, and are briefly as follows:

IN FEE SIMPLE.
One hundred and twenty-eight and one-half acres, divided thus:
Eighty-five acres, part of the celebrated "Joy Farm," on Federal creek, adjoining the lands of the Ohio Petroleum Company.
Twenty-seven and one-half acres on Wolf creek.
Sixteen acres on Dowds run.

LEASEHOLD.
Two hundred and forty acres, subject to a royalty of from one-fifth to one-fourth, divided as follows:
Seventy-nine acres on Sterling run, three-fourths of a mile from McConnellsville, on the Muskingum river, open to steam navigation.
Thirty-five, thirty-seven, thirty, and fifty-nine acres on Wolf creek.

The above lands having been carefully selected by the President and others of the corporators, with an eye ... to quality than to quantity, as may easily be seen ... the division and choice of localities, the incorporators believe themselves justified in expecting handsome ... to the stockholders of the company. Samples of ... and illuminating oil, taken from several wells ... localities, and in the immediate vicinity, ... inspected and found of superior quality.

... orators design making this a permanent ... not a mere means of speculation. Those ... ving the largest financial interest will devote ... its management personally.

... superintendent and other persons are employed ... the works of the company, six new and ... complete sets of tools and other ... sent out; and the works are being ... utmost activity, the cash means of the ... ing the same.

... been looked upon as a superior ... attracted much attention from ... are of opinion that this ... equal if not superior to ... are sufficiently ad...

... number of shares ... open at the ... property can ...

TRAVELERS' GUIDE.

NEW-YORK MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.'S SIDE-WHEEL STEAMERS TO NEW ORLEANS DIRECT, will sail as follows:

LIBERTY.	Wilson	Saturday, April 15th.
MORNING STAR	Nelson	Saturday, April 22d.
EVENING STAR	Bell	Saturday, April 29th.
GUIDING STAR	Knapp	Saturday, May 6th.
MORNING STAR	Nelson	Saturday, May 20th.
EVENING STAR	Bell	Saturday, May 27th.
GUIDING STAR	Knapp	Saturday, June 3d.
RISING STAR		Building.

AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M.
FROM PIER 46, NORTH RIVER, THIRD PIER ABOVE FOOT OF CANAL STREET, N. Y.

The Morning Star is 2,948 tons, the Evening Star, 2,015 tons; the Guiding Star 2,410 tons, and the Rising Star 2,7?8 tons, Custom-house measurement. Their passenger accommodations are not excelled by those upon any other steamers in the world.

No freight received, or bills of lading signed, after 12 o'clock on the day of sailing.

For freight or passage apply to
JAMES A. RAYNOR,
10 BARCLAY Street.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The Steamship LIBERTY, sailing as above, for New Orleans, will touch at Havana.

PASSAGE TO AND FROM GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND.
TAPSCOTT'S
favorite line to LONDON and LIVERPOOL. Packets sailing every week. Parties wishing to send for their friends, or remit money to the old country, can do so on the most favorable terms, by applying to
TAPSCOTT, BROTHERS & CO.,
86 SOUTH Street.
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FOR HARTFORD, SPRINGFIELD, Northampton, and Brattleboro'.—The first-class steamers CITY OF HARTFORD and GRANITE STATE leave New-York from Peck Slip, East River, for Hartford at 4 P. M. daily, arriving in time for the early trains for Springfield and the North.
Cabin fare to Hartford $2, Deck $1.25.
The cheapest and pleasantest route.
SAXTON & SEABURY, Agents,
112 SOUTH Street.
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STEAMER "T. V. ARROWSMITH."—On and after Monday, April 10th, the above Steamer will leave Pier 24, East River (Peck Slip), for Bayley's Dock, Fort Schuyler, Great Neck, Sand's Point, Glen Cove, Mott's Dock, Glen Wood, and Roslyn every afternoon, Sundays excepted, at 3:30 P. M., until the 1st of May next.
Returning, will leave Roslyn at 7 o'clock A. M. Stages for Locust Valley and Oyster Bay connect with the boat at Glen Cove.
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FOR HAVANA DIRECT.
The new and splendid side-wheel steamship MORRO CASTLE, R. ADAMS Commander, Will leave Pier No. 4, North River, on THURSDAY, April 20, at 3 o'clock P. M., precisely, for HAVANA.
For freight or passage apply to
SPOFFORD, TILESTON & CO.,
29 BROADWAY.
N. B. The favorite steamship EAGLE will succeed the Morro Castle, and leave on April 26.
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STEAMSHIP MORRO CASTLE, FOR HAVANA.—NOTICE.
In consequence of the funeral of the President of the United States, the Steamer MORRO CASTLE will be detained until THURSDAY, 20th inst., at 12 o'clock.
N. B. Mails will close at the Postoffice, on Thursday at 10 o'clock A.M.
SPOFFORD, TILESTON & CO.,
29 BROADWAY.
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OFFICE OF THE ATLANTIC MAIL Steamship Co., No. 5 BOWLING Green, New-York, April 13, 1865.
FOR CALIFORNIA, VIA ISTHMUS OF PANAMA.
Carrying the U. S. Mail.
New Arrangement—Commencing May 1, 1865.
STEAMERS WILL SAIL SEMI-MONTHLY.
Regular sailing days, 1st and 16th of every month, from the Company's new and commodious pier, No. 43 NORTH RIVER, FOOT OF CANAL STREET,
At 12 o'clock, noon, precisely.
Departures:
April 22 ... OCEAN QUEEN ... Weir,
(Connecting at Panama with Sacramento.)
May 1 ... ARIEL ... Jones
(Connecting at Panama with Golden City.)
May 16 ... COSTA RICA ... Tinklepaugh,
(Connecting at Panama with Constitution.)
For further information, freight or passage apply to
D. B. ALLEN,
No. 5 BOWLING GREEN.
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OPPOSITION LINE TO CALIFORNIA via Nicaragua.—Short route, low prices.—The Central American Transit Company will dispatch on the 20th of every month, from pier No. 29, North River, at noon, the fine steamship GOLDEN RULE, D. S. Babcock master, at greatly reduced rates of passage. For particulars apply to D. N. CARRINGTON, Agent, 177 West Street, corner of Warren Street.
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SPECIAL NOTICE.—S. S. GOLDEN RULE FOR CALIFORNIA.
The interruption to business attendant upon the National Calamity, will prevent the proper outfitting of this steamer for sailing on the 20th of April.
It is therefore postponed until Saturday, April 22d, at noon.
D. N. CARRINGTON, Agent.
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FOR HUDSON, CATSKILL AND BRISTOL.—Steamer Traveler leaves foot of Harrison Street, North River, MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, and FRIDAY AFTERNOONS at 5 o'clock. Freight taken for Western Stagecoach routes and all towns on the line of the Hudson and Boston and Western Railroads.
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CENTRAL RAILROAD OF NEW JERSEY.—Depot in New-York, foot of LIBERTY street, North River.—Connecting at Hampton Junction with the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, and at Easton with Lehigh Valley Railroad and its connections, ... direct line to Pittsburg and the West without ...
... MIDDLE ROUTE TO THE WEST.
... daily for the West, except Sundays, ...
... saved by this line to Chicago, ... with but one change of cars.
... EMENTS.
... New-York as follows: ...
... Wilkesbarre, ...
... Water ...
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AUCTION SALES.

RICHARD WARREN, Auctioneer.

By Townsend, Montant & Co.

No. 116 DUANE street.

FRIDAY, April 21,
At 10 o'clock, at store,
RICH RIBBONS.

3000 cartons extra rich plain and figured Poult de Soie RIBBONS.
A full line, comprising all colors.
Also, a full line of Scotch PLAID fine to extra fine quality.
Also, a line of fancy broche and figured.
Also, a line of magnificent quality, all boiled, manufactured for the Paris market.
Also, a line of extra quality Black Poult de Soie RIBBONS.

ALSO,

An invoice of GROS DE NAPLES, MARCELLINES and TARLETANS.
Catalogues and Samples on the morning of sale.

LARGE SPECIAL SALE OF FRENCH AND BRITISH DRY GOODS,
Including
LUPIN'S CELEBRATED SUMMER FABRICS,
MOUSSELINE DE LAINES, &c.
BENKARD & HUTTON
Will sell through
TOWNSEND, MONTANT & CO.,
On TUESDAY, April 25, and WEDNESDAY, April 26,
In their own store, No. 111 DUANE street,
(At four months' credit.)
The following desirable goods of recent importation:

FRENCH GOODS

1200 pieces Lupin's superior quality 3-4, 6-4, and 8-4 black and colored MOUSSELINE DE LAINE.
800 pieces Lupin's 3-4, 7-4, and 8-4, black, white, and colored CREPE MARETZ.
600 pieces Lupin's 3-4, 7-4, and 8-4 black, white, and colored TAMARTINE.
200 pieces Lupin's 3-4, 7-4, and 8-4 black, white, and colored BAREGES.
250 pieces Lupin's superb qualities 3-4, 7-4, and 8-4 black, white, and colored HERNANI and GRENADINE BAREGES.
150 pieces Lupin's 3-4 and 6-4 black FLORENTINES and BYZANTINES.
600 pieces Lupin's black BOMBAZINES, all qualities, 3-4 and 6-4.
60 pieces Lupin's black TAMISE, balance of spring importation.
250 pieces Lupin's black and colored CHALLYS.
350 pieces Lupin's magnificent quality plain and striped 6-4 MOHAIR JAPONAISE.
60 pieces Lupin's splendid qualities VELOUTINES SIAMOISE, GROS DE VENUS, black POIL DE CHEVRE, figured POPLINS, and SHEPHERD PLAID VALENCIAS.
100 pieces super qualities plain and plaid MOZAMBIQUES.
200 pieces super qualities striped, plaid, and broche GRENADINE BAREGES, very choice styles and quality.
800 pieces extra super qualities silk plaid GRENADINES, satin plaid CREPE DE PARIS, ombre striped POPELINES, striped TOILE DE BENGAL.
150 pieces plaid DAMMIENS, very desirable.
150 pieces marled MOHAIRS and POPELINE MELANGE.
200 pieces best printed MOUSSELINE DE LAINE.

BRITISH DRESS GOODS.

200 pieces extra fine quality assorted colored PERSIANS.
400 pieces 6-4 striped and plaid LENOS, striped IMPERIALS, striped MINERVAS, &c., &c.
100 pieces [illegible] quality shepherd plaid, black and white MOZAMBIQUES.
150 pieces superfine quality 6-4 black MOHAIRS.
50 pieces plaid mantilla CLOTHS.
250 Paris balmoral SKIRTS.

MERCHANT TAILORS' GOODS

50 pieces 6-4 fancy cassimeres and silk mixed COATINGS.
30 pieces 6-4 black figured and ribbed CASSIMERES.
20 pieces Elbeuf black CLOTH, the finest ever imported.
20 pieces Aix la Chapelle blue CLOTH.
50 pieces do. do. 3-4 black DOESKINS.
20 pieces Lupin's DRAP D'ETE, the entire balance.
20 pieces Lupin's BIARRITZ, a new and beautiful article for Summer coats.
20 pieces Lyons black silk SERGE.
100 pieces English SILESIAS, assorted colors.

SILKS

100 pieces Lyons qualities plain colored POULT DE SOIE, of new and desirable shades.
50 pieces plain colored DRAP DE FRANCE, and GROS DE LONDRES, best qualities imported.
50 pieces double-faced plain colored ARMURE TAFFETAS and GROS DE LONDRES, Fa cons.
60 pieces latest Paris styles and very rich fancy SILKS, also, three colors CAMELLINES.
100 pieces double-faced black ARMURES, Lyons qualities and very neat designs.
100 pieces Lyons black TAFFETAS, including Bonnet's and Ponsen's celebrated marks; also TAFFETAS DE PARIS, with purple and white edges.
400 pieces very heavy qualities black POULT DE SOIES, VENETIENNES, GROS DE SUSSE, GROS GRAINS, to which the attendance of the Mantilla trade is particularly invited.

SHAWLS

1,200 Lupin's superfine qualities Thibet SHAWLS, rich silk fringes, high colors, modes, blacks and brown.
1,500 Lupin's superfine qualities Thibet SHAWLS, wool fringes, square and long.
2,000 Lupin's Mousseline de Laine SHAWLS, wool fringes.
800 Lupin's very rich printed Thibet SHAWLS.
300 do. black centers broche border Stella SHAWLS.
600 Lupin's white and black barege SHAWLS.
600 do. Gaze Maretz do.
600 do. Barege Hernani do.
400 rich Paris Broche Raye do.
250 extra fine plain centers, rich broche borders, square and long Paisley Broche SHAWLS.
200 extra superfine qualities Paris Paisley Broche SHAWLS.

As this sale will comprise the whole of certain very desirable articles, owing to a very reduced importation, no better opportunity will be offered again to dealers this season.

DENKARD & HUTTON,
111 DUANE Street.

THURSDAY, April 27,
(On four months' credit.)
IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC WOOLENS AND TAILORING GOODS.
ALSO,
ATTRACTIVE SPECIAL SALE OF WHITE GOODS, BRITISH STUFF AND DRESS GOODS.
ALSO,
HOSIERY GOODS, in great variety.
ALSO,
UMBRELLAS, PARASOLS, and SUN UMBRELLAS.

HENRY L. HOGUET, Auctioneer.

By Wilmerding, Hoguet & Co.

Salesrooms Nos. 112 and 114 DUANE Street.

TUESDAY, April 25,
Postponed from
TUESDAY, April 18,
At 10 o'clock,
(On a credit of four months),
ATTRACTIVE SPECIAL SALE OF RIBBONS AND MILLINERY GOODS,
the importation of
Messrs. SOLELIAC FRERES.
ALSO,
TUESDAY, April 25,
Postponed from
TUESDAY, April 18,
At 10 o'clock,
(On four months' credit),
IMPORTANT PEREMPTORY SALE OF GERMAN COTTON HOSIERY AND GLOVES,
By order of
Messrs. F. BACHEZ, GOERIZE & CO.
WEDNESDAY, April 26,
Postponed from
WEDNESDAY, April 19,
SPECIAL AND ATTRACTIVE SALE OF ITALIAN CLOTHS, SATIN DE CHINES, OVERCOATINGS, LINEN GOODS, &c.,
To close a partnership.
ALSO,
LARGE SALE OF LINEN THREAD,
THURSDAY, April 27,
At 10 o'clock.
On four months' credit.
BRITISH, FRENCH, AND SAXONY DRESS GOODS.
SILKS, SHAWLS, LINEN GOODS, &c.

WILLIAM TOPPING, Auctioneer

By William Topping & Co.

Store, No. 132 CHURCH Street, two doors south of Messrs. H. B. CLAFLIN & CO.

OUR REGULAR SALES WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY AND FRIDAY THROUGHOUT THE SEASON.

CASH ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNMENTS WITHOUT ADDITIONAL CHARGE.

NOTICE.
OUR SALES FOR THIS WEEK ARE SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.
OUR FIRST SALE AT No. 132 CHURCH STREET, WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY, APRIL 25.

SATURDAY, APRIL 22,
AT
THE STORES, No. [illegible] PARK PLACE, and No. 6 MURRAY STREET,
LARGE AND ATTRACTIVE SALE OF MANUFACTURED STRAW GOODS,
(FIVE HUNDRED (500) CASES),
INCLUDING
FULL ASSORTMENT OF NEW AND DESIRABLE GOODS IN GREAT VARIETY, FOR WOMEN'S, MISSES', MEN'S AND BOYS' WEAR.
Catalogues and goods ready on morning of sale.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, Auctioneer.

By William Kennelly.

SHERIFF'S REAL ESTATE AUCTIONEER.
Office No. 11 PINE Street.

On FRIDAY, April 21,
Under the direction of John Kelly, Esq., sheriff.
The house and lot No. 220 Elizabeth street, between Prince and Houston streets. Lot 20x77.9.
Maps at auctioneer's office, No. 11 Pine street.
TUESDAY, April 25,
The four-story brick house No. 297 West Thirty-third street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
SECOND AVENUE—The two valuable first-class houses Nos. 665 and 667 Second avenue.

AUCTION SALES.

EDWARD L. CORLIES, Auctioneer.

By Kobbe & Corlies.

Stores Nos. 87 and 89 LEONARD street.

The sale of Linens, &c., &c., for Tuesday, April 18, is postponed to Friday next, April 21st, and the special sale of Ribbons and Millinery Silks [illegible] Wednesday, April 19, will take place on WEDNESDAY, April 26.

FRIDAY, April 21,
At 10 o'clock, at their salesrooms,
LARGE AND ATTRACTIVE SALE OF ENGLISH AND GERMAN HOSIERY,
On a credit of 4 mos., approved endorsed paper.
ALSO,
LARGE SALE OF IRISH LINENS.
A full line of 5-8 and 3-4 plain Hemstitched and bordered L. C. Handkerchiefs, from fine to superfine.
100 pieces 8-4 Damask, fine to extra fine quality.
100 pieces 4-4 Birds-eye Diaper.
An entire invoice of 8-4 Scot Linen Table Covers, medium to highest cost goods.
A large assortment of 5-8 Linen Double Damask Napkins.
6 cases fine to extra quality 4-4 Shirting Linens.
The above comprises an entire importation of best Irish Linens, just landed, and entitled to the especial attention of dealers.
Also, WHITE GOODS, EMBROIDERIES, &c., &c.
Also, GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS—1000 dozen fresh imported Paris heavy silk fancy Ties and Scarfs, entirely new styles and patterns.
Also, SUSPENDERS, 8 cases, comprising a complete assortment of French and English Suspenders, expressly manufactured for the home market.
Also, KID GLOVES—150 dozen Paris real Kid Gloves, the balance of an importation of very superior quality Kid Gloves.
Also, 2,000 dozen fancy colored black ribbon and tubular TIES.
Also, HOOP SKIRTS—100 dozen ladies' best quality hoop skirts, being one of the most celebrated manufactures, consisting of 15 to 40 springs of diamond and straight feed.
Catalogues and samples morning of sale.

SATURDAY, April 22,
At 10 o'clock, at the salesroom,
LARGE AND ATTRACTIVE SALE OF RIBBONS AND MILLINERY GOODS,
On a credit of 4 months approved indorsed paper over $100.
Being 800 cartons plain and Broche Bonnet and Trimming RIBBONS, of recent importation, in the most desirable shades, in superior St. Etienne and Basle qualities.
Including full lines, No. 4 to 60 plain corded edge Ribbons, all the desirable shades.
An entire invoice of 4 to 10 heavy black gros grain Ribbons.
A fine assortment of broche and plaid fancy Ribbons.
A complete line of extra quality gros grain Ribbons, in the finest shades for best city retail trade.
An assortment of Picot and Feather edge satin Ribbons.
Also, a full and most attractive line of extra Paris quality, all boiled goods in all the new shades, New Green, Gris Perle, Drab Mais, Lavender, etc., just received per steamer China.
Also an entire invoice of No. 4 to 120 all boiled best quality gros grain Ribbons, celebrated Crown brand.
Also MILLINERY SILKS, 75 pieces, latest shades and of superior quality.
Also, Malines—150 pieces Paris all silk 4-4 Malines, fine to finest quality imported, just landed and of the most favorite make.
Catalogues and samples on the morning of sale.

TUESDAY, April 25,
At 10 o'clock, at the salesroom,
LARGE AND ATTRACTIVE SALE OF ENGLISH AND GERMAN HOSIERY,
On a credit of 4 months approved indorsed paper.
Catalogues and samples on the morning of sale.

WEDNESDAY, April 26,
At 10 o'clock, at the salesroom,
Large and important sale of RIBBONS, SILKS and MILLINERY GOODS, of recent importation.
On a credit of four months, approved indorsed paper for all sums over $100.
Including the entire balance of the present season's importation of an importing house, in first-class and highest cost goods only, comprising:
—cartons superior quality, No. 4 to 60, corded edge RIBBONS, in new green, gris perle, mais, lavender, &c.
—cartons Paris quality all boiled No. 4 to 60, in all the choice colors, green, mais, gris perle, lavender, &c.
—cartons sublime quality all boiled No. 7, in all the latest and choicest shades.
—cartons heavy high lustre black mousseline RIBBONS, all widths.
—cartons magnificent Paris qualities broche, raye, ecossais, &c., &c.
ALSO,
An entire Invoice of No. 4 to 120 all boiled best Paris quality, celebrated Crown Brand.
We will add to this sale
100 pieces GROS DE NAPLES, of the celebrated "Tom per Idem" brand, comprising the latest and most desirable shades of Drab, &c.
50 pieces POULT DE SOIE, comprising all the newest and choicest colors.
ALSO,
Full Lines of Paris all Silk MALINES.
Full Lines Black English CRAPES.
This sale will be one of the most important and attractive sales of RIBBONS ever made at auction, comprising all the latest Paris novelties, and will be well worthy the attention of the entire trade.
Catalogues and samples on the morning of sale.

THURSDAY, April 27,
At 10 o'clock, at the salesroom,
FOREIGN and DOMESTIC WOOLENS, TAILORING and GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, &c., &c.
On a credit of 4 months, approved endorsed notes for $100 and over.
Catalogues and samples on the morning of sale.

J. A. CURTIS, Auctioneer.

By Haggerty & Co.

Salesrooms 279 BROADWAY and 57 READE Street

FRIDAY, April 21,
At 10 o'clock, at the salesroom, 279 and 281 Broadway.
100 pieces 6-4 black Belgian CLOTH.
75 pieces 6-4 fine Belgian CLOTH.
50 pieces 6-4 super Black Belgian DOESKINS.
50 pieces 3-4 super Black Belgian DOESKINS.
50 pieces 6-4 English MELTONS.
25 pieces 6-4 French MELTONS.
50 pieces 6-4 English COATINGS.
ALSO,
75 pieces fine Paris COATINGS, just landed, and never before offered at public or private sale.
ALSO,
15 pieces 3-4 Fancy CASSIMERES.
ALSO,
A full line of Italian CLOTHS and SILESIAS.
40 cases 4-4 Spanish LINENS.
RAVENS DUCKS, CANVAS, PADDINGS, DIAGONAL DRILLS.
N. B.—Goods intended for this sale, the invoices must be handed in by 6 o'clock Wednesday P. M.

SATURDAY, April 22,
At 11 o'clock, at the Salesroom, No. 279 Broadway,
FRESH CANTON MATTINGS, CARPETINGS, &c.,
(On three months' credit.)
2500 rolls 4-4 WHITE MANHING, TIP-TOP, and China Matting, of the importation of
B. F. WHITE, OF BOSTON,
Just landed per MAGENTA.
ALSO,
1000 rolls 4-4, 5-4 and 6-4 White and Red GOWQUA and MANHING MATTINGS.
ALSO,
An invoice 3-4, 3-4, 4-4, 5-4 and 6-4 Calcutta and Cocoa MATTING.
ALSO,
375 pieces 4-4 INGRAIN, VENETIAN and Cottage CARPETS.
ALSO,
An assortment of JOHN CROSSLEY & SONS' Velvet and Tapestry RUGS.
Under inspection of the Port Wardens, damaged on the voyage of importation.
600 rolls 4-4, 5-4 and 6-4 White and Red Checked MANHING and AYOKE MATTINGS.
ALSO,
A full line of printed CLOTH, TABLE COVERS, all sizes.
Catalogues and samples on the morning of sale.

MONDAY, April 24,
At 11 o'clock, at Salesroom, 279 Broadway,
SPECIAL SALE OF SHAWLS,
On four months' credit.

TUESDAY, April 25,
At 10 o'clock, at the salesroom, 279 and 281 Broadway,
PACKAGE SALE, at four months' credit, for approved indorsed notes—300 packages FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS, suitable for the spring trade.
Catalogues and samples on the morning of sale.

AT PRIVATE SALE.
CANTON MATTING—4-4 White Extra Contract and Cowqua Manhing Mattings.
FOR SALE—Two Pews in St. Mark's Church, Nos. 163 and 164.

HEWLETT SCUDDER, Auctioneer.

By Budderow, Jones & Co.

Stores Nos. 41 and 43 WARREN Street.

FRIDAY, April 21,
At 10 o'clock, at the auction rooms,
DRY GOODS, WOOLENS, TAILORING GOODS, &c.,
Comprising
150 pieces super English, German, and American black Cloths, 3-4 and 6-4 black Doeskins, fancy Coatings, Cassimeres, &c.
ALSO,
100 pieces super heavy black Union Cassimeres.
30 pieces super English indigo blue Cloths.
18 pieces super English blue Union Cloths.
40 pieces 3-4 and 6-4 black Doeskins.
200 pieces super and extra black Farmers Satins.
60 pieces American and English black and brown Union Cloths.
120 pieces assorted styles all wool fancy Cassimeres.
50 pieces Tricots, Beavers, Whitneys, &c., &c.
70 pieces 3-4 fancy Meltons.
10 pieces Corduroys, Moleskins, and Beaverteens.
200 pieces heavy all linen Duck.
ALSO,
Black and colored Silesias, Whitneys, Tweeds, fancy printed Italians, Canvas, Shirts and Drawers, Half-hose, Corset Jeans, Braids, Bindings, Tailors' Trimmings, Cloakings, fancy do., &c.
ALSO,
A variety of other goods suitable for clothiers.
DAMAGED GOODS
(For account Underwriters.)
1 case 56 inch and 64 inch bleached Linen Damask, "6-8 and 3-4 Linen Damask Napkins.
1 case, 16 dozen very superior English Sheep Shears, damaged on the voyage of importation.
Catalogues and samples morning of sale.

Wednesday and Thursday being days of solemn observance, goods intended for Friday should be sent in TO-DAY, TUESDAY.

A. M. MERWIN, Auctioneer.

By Bangs, Merwin & Co.

Nos. 694 and 696 BROADWAY, corner of Fourth street.
FOR SALES OF PRIVATE LIBRARIES, BOOKSELLERS' STOCK, PICTURES and ENGRAVINGS, WORKS OF ART, FANCY GOODS, etc., and HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE at private dwellings and at our rooms.

AUCTION SALES.

D. D. LOCKWOOD, Auctioneer.

By Lockwood Bros. & Underhill.

Stores Nos. 20 MURRAY and 33 WARREN Streets.

OUR REGULAR SALES WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY AND FRIDAY THROUGHOUT THE SEASON.
CASH ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNMENTS, AND GOODS HELD FOR FUTURE SALES IF REQUIRED.

FRIDAY, April 21,
At 10 o'clock, at the Auction rooms,
CATALOGUE—FOR CASH—A general assortment of FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS, in lots adapted to the city and country retail trade.
ALSO,
ASSORTMENT OF
FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,
CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, SATINETS and CLOTHING GOODS generally.
CLOTHS—Pieces superfine black Broadcloths.
DOESKINS—Pieces extra all wool and Union Doeskins.
CASSIMERES—150 pieces Black and Fancy, in new and desirable styles.
BLACK SILKS——pieces super Black and Fancy Silks.
HOOP SKIRTS—An invoice Tape and corded skirts.
SHAWLS—A large and attractive line of Shawls, in great variety, all fresh goods for spring and summer wear.
HOSIERY—A large and desirable line of Ladies' and Misses' Hose, Men's and Boys' Half Hose, in variety.
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS—Full assortments of Shirts, Ties, Gloves, Suspenders, Hdkfs, &c.
GLOVES—A large and desirable line for ladies', childrens and men's wear, of late importation.
PARASOLS AND UMBRELLAS—A large and attractive line in new and tasty styles, made expressly for spring city trade.
SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—10 cases super white, plain and ribbed.
ALSO,
To be sold Peremptory, by order of Importer,
6000 dozen Ladies' and Misses' HOSE, Men's and Boy's HALF HOSE, Berlin GLOVES, Merino Finish SHIRTS and DRAWERS, &c., in great variety.
Catalogues and samples on the morning of sale.

WILLIAM S. MOUNT, Auctioneer.

By Wilmerdings & Mount.

Stores Nos. 138 and 140 DUANE Street.

TUESDAY, April 25,
WOOLENS AND TAILORING GOODS.
Particulars hereafter.
WEDNESDAY, April 26,
PACKAGE SALE.
300 PACKAGES OF FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS.
Particulars hereafter.

DANIEL H. BURDETT, Auctioneer.

By Burdett, Jones & Co.

Store 109 WALL Street.

FRIDAY, April 21,
At 12 o'clock, in third loft 188 FRONT Street,
(By order D. Murray, U. S. Marshal,)
CIGARS—60,000 Cigars, "Cubanas," "Colombio," and "Tip-Top" brands.
TOBACCO—5 hhds. Leaf Tobacco, 2,000 lbs. Filler Leaf Tobacco, 1 Turning Lathe, 1,200 lbs. Stripped Fillers Tobacco.
852 Cigar Boxes, 17 Cigar Machines and Tables, 4 Platform Scale, 3 stoves and pipe, 1 iron safe, &c., &c.
At 1 o'clock, within the store,
(By order of Robert Murray, U. S. Marshal,)
MACHINERY, SEWING MACHINES, &c., &c., for Harness, Boot and Shoemakers' use, 17 cases, comprising all the Sewing Machines and machinery, &c., for the making of harness and shoes that was patented in Lowell, Mass, and captured in a blockade runner.
COTTON PRESS—With screw complete.
(By order E. D. Chapman, Acting Quartermaster,)
GRAIN SACKS—52,864 Grain Sacks.
SATURDAY, April 22,
At 12 o'clock, at store of Duikee & Haugh, Commercial Wharf, Atlantic Dock, Brooklyn,
PALM LEAF—4,945 bdls. St. Croix Palm Leaf, large size.
4,610 bdls., small size.

JOHN S. BETTS, Auctioneer.

By Gerard, Betts & Co.

Store No. 106 WALL Street, east of Front street.
GERARD, BETTS & CO. will give their personal attention to the sale of Real Estate at the Merchants' Exchange and Household Furniture at the residences of families breaking up housekeeping. Also to the sale of stocks of Groceries and Merchandise of every description, both in New-York and Brooklyn.

FRIDAY, April 21,
At 11 o'clock, in front of the store,
WIRE RIGGING—4,600 pounds Wire Rigging.
ARROW-ROOT—3 bbls. Arrow-root.
PICKLED BEEF—10 bbls. Pickled Beef.
FRUITS, JAMS, CATSUPS, &c.—205 cases Pints, Quarts, and Half Gallon Jars Pineapple Jam, Brandy Peaches, do. Cherries and Plums, Mushroom and Tomatoe Catsup, and pickled White Onions.
Also, 85 cases 2½ pound cans Raspberries, Blackberries, and Whortleberries, in their natural juice.
Also 34 cases Currant and Blackberry Wine, one dozen each.
HERRINGS—8 bbls. Pickled Herrings.
100 kegs Holland Herrings.
170 boxes Smoked Herring.
LEMONS—15 boxes Lemons.
SPERM CANDLES—20 boxes New Bedford Sperm Candles, 4s and 6s.
DUTCH HERRING—500 kegs Dutch Herring, full.
6 bbls. Pickled Herring.
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MANUFACTURED TOBACCO—110 caddy boxes, half pound.
20 ½ Navy Pounds.
160 boxes 10s, all in perfect order.
10 boxes Virginia 10s.
BEANS—15 bbls. Beans.
PICKLES—42 kegs Pickles.
TOBACCO—100 pounds fine quality cut Canadian Smoking, 65 pounds "Moses" plug Tobacco, 1 small box French pipes, 12 boxes Tobacco, 10 cases State Seed Tobacco, per inspector's samples.
MADDER—1 case French Madder.
PEACHES, &c.—200 cases fresh Peaches, 2 dozen each, in fine order; 40 cases fresh Scallops, in 2-pound cans.
CORDIAL—10 cases Dr. Hem's Invigorating Spirit.
GUM ARABIC—1 bale Gum Arabic.
HAVANA SUGAR—10 boxes Havana Sugar.
RYE WHISKY—9 bbls. old Rye Whisky.
GOLDEN SEAL ROOT—2 bags Golden Seal Root.

THURSDAY, April 27,
At 11 o'clock, within the store,
WINES, N. E. RUM, BOURBON WHISKY, &c.
PORT WINE—11 quarter casks old dry Port Wine.
MARSEILLES MADEIRA—103 quarter casks Marseilles Madeira.
SICILY WINE—28 quarter casks Sicily Wine.
PORT WINE—10 quarter-casks Marseilles Port.
CLARET—10 hhds. Claret Wine.
BURGUNDY—11 hhds. Burgundy Dry Wine.
3 pipes do. do.
25 bf. pipes do. do.
N. E. RUM—10 bbls. N. E. Rum.
BOURBON WHISKY—10 bbls. Bourbon Whisky.
CHAMPAGNE—200 cases and 100 do. pints Her Majesty's brand superior quality high cost Champagne, in bond.
BRANDY—3 quarter and 5 eighth casks Pellevoisin Frere and 6 eighth A. Seignette Pale Brandy, in bond.
HOLLAND GIN—4 three-quarter pipes Holland Gin, Crown Double Anchor brand, in bond.

AT PRIVATE SALE.
BOURBON WHISKY—Constantly on hand from the distillery of P. Timmins, Salt River, Kentucky, in handsome packages, in lots to suit shippers and the trade.
ALSO,
EXTRA FINE BOURBON AND MONONGAHELA WHISKIES,
Comprising the choice of 1847, 1849, 1851, 1854, "M. M.," "The Old Bourbon," "M. M. A.," "M. M.," and the "07," fine old Bourbon Whiskies, of age as represented, and exceedingly choice.

R. T. HAZELL, Auctioneer.

By J. B. Halsey & Co.

HARDWARE TRADE SALES AND AUCTION ROOMS.
No. 6 GOLD Street.
WE WILL GIVE OUR PERSONAL ATTENTION to sales of Foreign and Domestic HARDWARE, CUTLERY, GUNS, FANCY GOODS, and GENERAL MERCHANDISE.
REGULAR SALES will be held on each TUESDAY and FRIDAY throughout the season.
CASH ADVANCES made upon consignments without any additional charge.

FRIDAY, April 21,
SPECIAL SALE.
By order of Messrs. H. LEON & CO. (who are declining business), on their premises,
No. 16 COLLEGE Place.
By Catalogue, for Cash—A large assortment of POCKET AND TABLE CUTLERY, SCISSORS, SHEARS, &c.
Also, Shelving, Desks, Store Fixtures, Safes, &c.
Catalogues now ready and can be had at our office.

WEDNESDAY, April 26,
SPECIAL SALE.
HARDWARE, HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS, CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE, TIN WARE, PLATED GOODS, &c.,
On the premises, 287 Grand street,
being the entire stock contained in said store, and worthy the attention of buyers generally, as the owners are declining business.
Particulars in future advertisements.

THURSDAY, April 27,
At 10:30 o'clock, at the private residence No. 30 Clinton Place, 8th street, corner Greene,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
consisting of the entire contents of the 4-story building above number, with Velvet, Tapestry Carpets, Rich Rosewood Buffets, Etageres, large French Mirrors, &c.
Particulars in future advertisements.

WEDNESDAY, May 3,
At 10½ o'clock, at our salesrooms,
No. 65 Beekman street,
HARDWARE TRADE-SALE,
comprising consignments of American, English, and German Hardware, Cutlery, Guns, &c., direct from the manufacturers and importers. Terms cash.
Catalogues ready May 1.

D. H. WIGGINS, Auctioneer.

By Krugler & Wiggins.

STOCK, BOND, AND GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, AND BROKERS IN STOCKS, BONDS, AND OTHER SECURITIES.
Office, BEAVER Street, corner William.

AT PRIVATE SALE.
All the leading Oil, Coal, Lead, Insurance, and Bank Stocks.
Money to loan on Stocks, Bonds, and Government Securities, in sums to suit.

AUCTION SALES.

JAMES M. MILLER, Auctioneer.

By James M. Miller.

Office, 23 PINE Street.

THURSDAY, April 27,
At 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesrooms, 111 Broadway,
[illegible] by order of the Supreme Court.
Property partition. [illegible] the east side of 8th avenue, commencing at the northeast corner of 52d street.
Four lots of land [illegible] south side of 52d street, 100 feet East of 8th avenue.
Seven lots of land on the [illegible] side of Broadway and [illegible] 53d street.
Three lots and 1 gore on the east [illegible] 53d street.
West side of 7th avenue, 75 feet north [illegible] Broadway, commencing at the southeast [illegible]
Seven lots of land on the west side of [illegible] commencing at the northeast corner of 52d street, [illegible] street, 151 feet 4 inches west of Broadway.
Three lots of land on the north side of 53d street, [illegible] feet 4 inches west of Broadway.
Also, by order of the Supreme Court, under the direction of James B. Wilson, Esq., Committee of Jonas Mott, Lunatic.
Four lots on the northeast corner of 8th avenue and 61st street.
Fourteen lots on the north side of 61st street, commencing 100 feet East of 8th avenue.
Four lots on the south side of 52d street, commencing 275 feet east of 8th avenue.
Three lots on the north side of 53d street, commencing 225 feet east of 10th avenue.
Three gore lots in the rear of above.
Four lots on north side 54th street, commencing 100 feet east of 11th avenue.
Four gore lots in rear of above.
Five lots on the east side 11th avenue, commencing at the southeast corner of 53d street.
Nine lots on the north side of 62d street, commencing 100 feet east of 10th avenue.
Five lots on the south side of 63d street, commencing 100 feet east of 10th avenue.
Book, maps, and full particulars at the office.
ALSO,
A cottage house and grounds on Staten Island—either 2 or 6 acres—situated on the Manor road, one mile from either Factoryville or Port Richmond landing; shade trees, plenty of fruit, good garden, &c.
Maps and full particulars at the office.

FRIDAY, April 28,
At 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, 111 Broadway,
Nos. 413 and 415 WEST 54TH STREET—The two 2-story frame dwelling houses, each lot 25x100.
Sixty lots on south side 56th street, 175 feet east 10th avenue, each lot 25x100.
1 lot of land south side 56th street, 100 west Broadway; lot 25x100.
Also, house and 4 lots on west side Franklin avenue, 119 feet north 8th street, in the town of Morrisania, Westchester County.
Maps and full particulars at the office.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

By Adrian H. Muller, P. R. Wilkins & Co.

Office No. 8½ PINE Street.
REAL ESTATE AT PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SALE, SALE OF STOCKS EVERY WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY.
ADRIAN H. MULLER, PHILIP R. WILKINS, ADRIAN H. MULLER, Jr.

SATURDAY, April 22,
At 12½ o'clock,
At the Exchange Salesroom, No. 141 Broadway,
BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTOR OF GEORGE YOULE, DECEASED
10 shares City Fire Ins. Co., $70 each.
For account of whom it may concern.
25 shares Manhattan Fire Ins. Co., $50 each.
$1,200 Great Western Ins. Co. scrip of 1864.
$2,100 do. do. do. 1863.
$3,000 Syracuse and Binghamton RR. 1st mortgage seven per cent. bonds, $1,000 each.
6 shares Hermetical Barrel Co., $25 each.
97 shares New-York and Havre Steamship Co., $100 each.
$4,100 Galena and Chicago U. R. R. Co. 6 per cent. coupon bonds, $500 each.
10 shares Columbian Marine Ins. Co. (old), $100 each.

MONDAY, April 24,
Adjourned from 19th instant,
At [illegible] o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway,
MYRTLE AVENUE, BROOKLYN.—The two 3-story marble front stores and dwellings situate on south side of Myrtle avenue, between Raymond and Houston streets, Nos. 510 and 514, each 20 feet in width by 83 feet in depth. Maps at the office of the Auctioneers.
COUNTRY SEAT ON THE HUDSON RIVER.—By order of the heirs of Alexander Moirhead, deceased, 15¾ Acres of land situated on the Hudson River, about half a mile below Peekskill, and known as the Moirhead place. There is on the premises a two-story double frame house, and barns, and other outbuildings. Also, a cottage or gardener's house. Apple, cherry, plum and other fruit trees.
47TH STREET—The first-class 4-story brown stone house and lot situate on the south side of 47th street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, known as No. 64. House is about 21 by 50 feet, in first rate order, with all the modern improvements; possession immediately. Lot 100 feet 5 inches. Maps at office of the auctioneers.
SACKETT STREET, BROOKLYN.—The three-story brick house and lot on north side of Sackett street, 227 feet west of Columbia street, No. 103. House 23 by 40 feet. Lot 100 feet.
THIRD PLACE.—Three-story brick house and lot on south side Third place, 250 feet east of Court street, No. 101. House 20 by 42 feet. Lot 133 feet 5½ inches. Maps at office of the auctioneers.

TUESDAY, April 25,
At 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway,
(By order of the executors of Edward D. West, deceased.)
FIFTEENTH STREET—The three-story brick house and lot on the south side of West Fifteenth street, between the Eighth and Ninth avenues, known as No. 341. The house has gas, bath, &c. Lot about 15 by 81 feet.
TO CLOSE AN ESTATE.
CLERMONT AND VANDERBILT AVENUES, BROOKLYN—One lot on the easterly side of Clermont avenue, 345 feet south of Greene avenue, extending through to and fronting on Vanderbilt avenue. Each 25 by 100 feet. Maps at the office of the auctioneers.
ELEGANT BROWN STONE HOUSE AND STABLE ON 42D STREET—The first-class 4-story brown stone front house and lot situate on the southerly side of 42d street, 175 feet east of Broadway, known as No. 142. The house is 25 by 50 feet, with an extension of 16 feet, built in the best manner, and replete with every modern improvement and convenience. The stable, which has an entrance from 41st street, is 3 stories, brick, with stalls for 4 horses, and has all the necessary conveniences. To persons desirous of purchasing a first-class residence, the sale will afford a desirable opportunity. Possession immediately.
Maps at the office of the auctioneers, 8½ Pine street.

THURSDAY, April 27,
At 12 o'clock, at Exchange Salesroom 111 BROADWAY,
(By order of A. O. Zabriskie, Esq., Trustee.)
Two tracts of land, late of Catharine C. Young, deceased, on the west side of the Hudson river in Bergen county, New Jersey. The first tract, of 1 64-100 acres, has a front of about 19.44 feet on the Hudson river. About one third of it lies below the hill, with a fine slope to the Hudson river. The residue of the tract is on an elevation over 100 feet high, with a commanding view of the Hudson river, New-York, the Narrows, Long Island, the Sound, part of Connecticut, and Manhattan island. It is situated opposite One Hundred and Fifteenth street in the city of New-York. The other lot is a wood lot of [illegible] acres, west of the first lot, about a mile from the Hudson river. Access to New-York by steamboat several times daily, touching at Bull's Ferry, about one mile from the premises, or by a fine drive from the Hoboken ferry over a turnpike on the bank of the Hudson to the premises. The lot on the Hudson is very eligibly situated for a country residence. The premises will be shown to any one desirous of viewing the same by John Winterburn, at the carpenter's shop, near the premises.
Maps at the office.
At 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway,
10TH AVENUE—4 lots on southeast corner of 10th avenue and 51st street, together with one lot on the rear, fronting on 51st street, each 25 feet 6 inches in width by 100 feet in depth. These lots are within one block of Manhattan square, now part of Central Park.

MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer

By E. H. Ludlow & Co.

No. 3 PINE Street.
AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
(ESTABLISHED IN 1833.)
Sales of Real Estate by auction and by private contract.
Auction Sales of Real Estate, Bonds, Stocks, &c., &c.
Furniture sales at the residences of owners, and out-door sales in general attended to on the most favorable terms.

FRIDAY, April 21,
At 11 o'clock, at the Warerooms of Messrs. CAMPSELL & ROYER, No. 37 MERCER Street, near GRAND Street.
The entire balance of fine Rosewood, Walnut and Oak Furniture, the manufacture of the above firm, now retiring from business.
Sale without reserve.

SATURDAY, April 22,
At 10½ o'clock, at the Foundry, No. 8 DUANE Street, near NORTH WILLIAM Street.
By order MARGARET DURNO, Administratrix of the estate of the late GEORGE DURNO, deceased, all the Stock of Materials, Tools, Machinery, Patterns, Case Boxes, &c., &c.
Catalogues at the office, No. 3 Pine Street.

TUESDAY, April 25,
At 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway,
PROPERTY ON HAMMOND AND PERRY STREETS.
The valuable four story brick high stoop double house and lot No. 64 and 66 Hammond street, running through to Perry street; house 50 feet square; plot 50 feet on Hammond street and 50 feet on Perry street by 190 feet in depth.
The attention of builders is called to the above.
GREENWICH AND WASHINGTON STREETS, AT AUCTION.
The valuable lot with the buildings thereon No. 81 Greenwich, running through to 83 Washington street, being about 22 feet on each street by 175 feet in depth. Sale peremptory; terms at sale.
VALUABLE PROPERTY SOUTHEAST CORNER NINTH AVENUE AND 12D STREET.—The valuable 4-story brick house, with marble trimmings, on the southeast corner 9th avenue and 42d street, with store, now occupied as a drug store. Lot 20x65 feet. Property rents for $1,224.
WEST 42D STREET—The handsome 3-story high stoop brown stone house and lot No. 300 West 42d street. House in good order and has all the conveniences. Lot [illegible] for $1,000; possession May 1. Maps, &c., at 3 PINE Street.

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, April 26 and 27,
At 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway,
GREAT SALE OF HOBOKEN LOTS AT AUCTION—COSTER ESTATE.

A. JOURNEAY, Auctioneer.

By A. Journeay.

No. 3 PINE Street.
REAL ESTATE, STOCKS, BONDS, &c., at public or private sale. Out-door sales and sales of Furniture at residences attended to. Houses and stores rented.

AUCTION SALES.

ALBERT H. NICOLAY, Auctioneer.

By Albert H. Nicolay & Co.

STOCK AUCTIONEERS, BROKERS,
AND
U. S. GOVERNMENT LOAN AGENTS.
Office 52 WILLIAM Street, near Wall.

STOCK AUCTION SALES EVERY MONDAY AND THURSDAY, at the EXCHANGE SALESROOM, No. 111 BROADWAY, which have been the regular established days with this house for many years. Also special sales made on any day required.
STOCKS, BONDS, GOVERNMENT SECURITIES, GOLD, PETROLEUM, and MINING STOCKS bought and sold at all the regular Stock Exchange Boards in New-York, Boston, and Philadelphia, strictly on commission.
STOCKS AND BONDS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION also bought and sold at private sale.
OIL STOCKS RECEIVE SPECIAL ATTENTION, a good list of which may be found at all times at our office, 52 WILLIAM Street.

U. S. 7-30 LOAN.

We [illegible] with pleasure that our MR. A. H. NICOLAY [illegible] appointment is made U. S. GOVERNMENT [illegible] AGENT. We receive subscriptions for the [illegible] convertible at the option of the holder into [illegible] Gold bearing Bonds. This is the U. S. 5-20 six per cent. [illegible] offered by the Government, and only Loan in market [illegible] tion of a doubt, owing to its superior advantages. THE [illegible] PEOPLE'S GREAT FAVORITE LOAN. ORDERS [illegible] SHOULD BE SENT IN AT ONCE.
ALBERT H. NICOLAY & CO.

THURSDAY, April 27,
At 12½ o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway,
REGULAR SALE OF STOCKS AND BONDS,
(For account of whom it may concern.)
15 shares Lorillard Fire Insurance Company, $25 each.
15 shares Astor Fire Insurance Company, $25 each.
10 shares Goshard Fire Insurance Co., $100 each.
10 shares Hope Fire Insurance Co., $50 each.
8 shares Park Fire Insurance Co., 100 each.
20 shares Ninth National Bank, $100 each.
50 shares Columbian Marine Ins. Co. (old) $100 each.
5 shares Mechanics' Bank, N. Y., $25 each.

J. COLE, Auctioneer

By James Cole's Son.

Office No. 399 FULTON Street, Commercial Exchange, opposite City Hall, Brooklyn.
Sales of Real Estate, Stock, Furniture, &c., made in the City of New-York and Brooklyn.

FRIDAY, April 21,
At 10½ o'clock, in Clinton avenue, third house south of Greene avenue,
FURNITURE SALE—All the furniture contained in said house, consisting of rosewood and mahogany; carpets, oil cloths, mirrors, and other glasses, beds and bedding, china and glassware, pianoforte, &c.

MONDAY, April 24,
At 12 o'clock M., at the Commercial Exchange, 399 Fulton street, opposite City Hall, Brooklyn.
No. 296 FULTON AVE—Store property, near Cumberland st. A 4-story and cellar brick house, containing 13 rooms, besides store and cellar; two marble mantels, water and gas; is in a first-rate stand for business; has been occupied by the same parties for four years past.
Three cottages on Fulton ave., near Schenectady ave., suitable for persons of small means. Each house is 2-story and cellar, seven rooms, marble mantels, water, &c.; all in perfect order. Sale positive.
Nos. 12, 14, and 16 ELLIOTT PLACE—3-story and cellar brick houses, each containing eight rooms, four marble mantels, range, water, and gas, also gas-fixtures, &c. This property is very desirable, having a full view of Washington Park.
Vacant Lot on GATES AVENUE—By order of the Executor, north side of Gates ave., 212 feet west from Classon ave., directly opposite the head of Hunter street, 20 feet front by over 92 feet deep.
No. 331 NAVY STREET—Re-sale on account of the former purchaser—A 2-story, basement, and attic frame house, contains 11 rooms, 2 marble mantels, gas and water. Lot 25 feet front; 80 feet on one side and 75 feet 5 inch on the other. Terms, one-half on bond and mortgage, if desired.
Maps of all the above property may be obtained at the office of the auctioneer, No. 399 Fulton street.

THURSDAY, April 27,
At 12 o'clock M., at the Commercial Exchange, 399 Fulton st., opposite the City Hall, Brooklyn.
(Under the direction of John P. Rolfe, Esq., Attorney.)
SUYDAM ESTATE AT NEW UTRECHT—SALE POSITIVE—In partition—The following desirable property, viz:
21 ACRES, on the W. side of the road from New Utrecht to Flatbush about ¼ of a mile N. from the Church in New Utrecht; over 1,163 feet of front, good old Dutch mansion, barn, carriage house and other outbuildings, fine orchard and well, will be sold in 4 plots of over 5 acres each, if desired.
24 ACRES, opposite the above and adjoining the elegant residence of Daniel Roberts, Esq., very early land in a high state of cultivation.
6 ACRES of salt meadow in the Town of Flatlands.
This property is accessible at all times by steam rail cars, from Greenwood Cemetery, which pass only a short distance from it, making it convenient not only for farmers, but also for gentlemen doing business in New-York.
Maps are ready at the office of the Attorney, over the Mechanics' Bank, Brooklyn, and at the office of the Auctioneer, 399 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

HENRY B. HERTS, JR., Auctioneer.

By H. B. Herts, Jr.

GENERAL AUCTIONEER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
No. 199 BROADWAY.
Regular Monthly and Special Trade Sale of Watches, Jewelry, Diamonds, &c., &c. Also, all other descriptions of merchandise and effects.
Liberal advances made when required.

FRIDAY, April 21,
At No. 114½ West Thirty-second Street, near Seventh avenue,
GENTEEL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising Rosewood and Walnut Parlor and Chamber Suites, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Beds, Bedding, Kitchen and Dining-Room Furniture and Utensils, &c.
Catalogues at sale.

MONDAY, April 24,
at 10½ o'clock,
At No. 148 McDonnell Street,
HANDSOME HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising Rosewood Parlor and Chamber Suites, Rich China Ware, Brussels Carpets, Beds, Bedding, Kitchen Utensils, &c.
Catalogues at sale.

MONDAY and TUESDAY, April 24 and 25,
at 11 o'clock each day,
At No. 581 Broadway, opposite the Metropolitan Hotel,
RICH FRENCH AND GERMAN FANCY GOODS, TOYS, OIL PAINTINGS, CHINA GOODS, &c.,
Being the entire stock of
Messrs. ALBERT & CO.
To be sold without any reserve, in consequence of their retiring from the retail trade.

TUESDAY, April 25,
At 10 o'clock,
At the store northeast corner Eighth avenue and Fourteenth street.
The entire stock of Choice Groceries, Wines, Liquors, Provisions, Store Fixtures, &c.

LEOPOLD LITHAUER, Auctioneer.

By Lithauer & Cristalar.

Nos. 17 PARK Place and 11 MURRAY Street.
OUR REGULAR SALES WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY AND FRIDAY THROUGHOUT THE SEASON.
CASH ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNMENTS, WITHOUT ADDITIONAL CHARGE.

FRIDAY, April 21,
At 10 o'clock, at the auction room,
BY CATALOGUE—FOR CASH—A general assortment of Foreign and Domestic DRY GOODS, in lots suited to the city and country trade.
Also, a large assortment of Woolens and Tailoring Goods, consisting of
100 pieces new style fancy CASSIMERES.
25 pieces Belgian BROADCLOTHS.
100 pieces 27 and 33 inch ITALIANS and SATIN DE CHINES.
Also, DOMESTIC GOODS—A large assortment of brown and bleached Sheetings and Shirtings, Denims, Ticks, Stripes, Checks, Prints, Flannels, &c., &c.
Also, 200 dozen plain and fancy Woolen Traveling Shirts, in great variety of styles.
Also, HOSIERY—A full line of English and German white, brown, and mixed Hose, Half-hose, &c.
Also, 100 dozen Ladies' Gauze and Summer Merino Vests.
Also, an assortment of housekeeping Linen Goods, including white and brown Table-cloths, Napkins, Towels, &c.
Also, HOOP SKIRTS—A full assortment of white and colored, of the best city makes.
Also, CORSETS—200 dozen white and colored Mechanical Corsets, of a celebrated make.
Also, a large assortment of ladies' Silk Mitts, Silk, Lisle and Cotton Gloves, Grenadine Veils, Illusion, Hosiery, &c., &c., being the stock of a jobber declining business, and to be sold without reserve.
Also, 240 dozen German Cotton Hosiery and Gloves, of a well-known importation.
BOOTS and SHOES—Men's Kip and Grain double and single sole Boots and Cavalry Boots, Gents' Calf Skin Boots; Youths and Children's thick and double sole Boots and Balmorals, Women's Calf, Kid and Serge Balmorals, Gaiters, &c.
Catalogues and samples on the morning of sale.

F. J. PARKER, Auctioneer.

By F. J. Parker.

Store 105 WALL Street.

SATURDAY, April 22,
At 11 o'clock,
In front of the store,
CUBA MUSCOVADO MOLASSES—30 threes Prime Cuba Muscovado Molasses.
CUBA MOLASSES—50 hhds. Cuba Molasses.
SUGARS—100 bbls. yellow refined Sugars.
SYRUP—50 bbls. Sugar House Syrup.
TUESDAY, April 25,
At 12 o'clock,
At H. Ford's Wall Street stores, Brooklyn,
CARGO SALE.
STRICTLY CHOICE NEW CROP PORTO RICO MOLASSES.
ALDECOA NEW CROP P. R. MOLASSES—[illegible] hhds. and 26 tierces strictly choice, bright New Crop Porto Rico Molasses of the favorite ALDECOA brand, all just landed in very fine order. Cargo of the Snow Bird from Arroyo.

A. L. CURTIS, Auctioneer.

By Curtis & Co.

Salesrooms Nos. 4 and 6 WARREN Street.
Our regular sales of FOREIGN and DOMESTIC DRY GOODS will be held on TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS.
BOOTS and SHOES on MONDAYS and THURSDAYS.
RIBBONS and MILLINERY GOODS on FRIDAYS, every week during the season.
Liberal advances on consignment for auction sales.

In consequence of our national bereavement, all of our sales advertised for this week will be postponed until next week.
CURTIS & CO.

AUCTION SALES.

DAVID CLARKSON, Jr., Auctioneer.

By Pells & Co.

Store No. 109 PEARL Street, (Hanover Square.)

TUESDAY, April 25,
At 3 o'clock, at foot of Broome street,
MANSANILLA MAHOGANY AND CEDAR—454 logs good quality and size Mansanilla Mahogany; 78 do. do. Cedar, per brig Cellhirst.
SPANISH CEDAR—24 logs large size Spanish Cedar.
BAHIA ROSEWOOD—390 logs Bahia Rosewood, per brig Basiol.
RIO JANEIRO ROSEWOOD—175 logs Rio Janeiro Rosewood, or [illegible]
MEXICAN MAHOGANY—30 Crotches, large and good quality.
ST. DOMINGO MAHOGANY—330 Crotches fine quality St. Domingo Mahogany.
ST. DOMINGO LIGNUMVITÆ—40 tons Lignumvitæ.
Catalogues day before sale.
Terms, 4 months, approved indorsed notes.

THURSDAY, May 4,
At 3 o'clock,
On lots foot of Corlears street, E. R.
ITALIAN MARBLE—The entire cargo of ship Pocahontas, now discharging, consisting of 111 Blocks Ordinary and Veined Italian Marble, all of O F mark, and of the importation of Mr. Otto Fabbricotti. The cargo is represented as of very superior and selected quality.
ALSO,
ITALIAN MARBLE—The cargo of the ship Branklen, consisting of 79 Blocks R. O. and G. M. F. marks Ordinary and Veined Italian Marble, of very fine quality, imported by Mr. Otto Fabbricotti.
LISBON MARBLE—38 pieces of Lisbon Marble, just received.
BARDILLIO MARBLE—2 Blocks ex. ship Del.
BLACK AND GOLD MARBLE—4 Blocks Italian and gold Marble.
PUMICE—9 Casks Pumice Stone.
Catalogues day before sale.
Terms, four months approved indorsed notes.

W. YELLOTT, Auctioneer

By J. P. Atkinson & Co.

Store 110 PEARL Street.

TUESDAY, April 25,
At 10 o'clock, in front of store,
COTTON—15 bales rejected and unmerchantable Cotton.
A quantity of good Pickings in bags.
ALSO,
Under Warden's inspection, for account of whom it may concern,
WOOL—40 bales unwashed Mestiza Wool, slightly damaged on the voyage.
WEDNESDAY, April 26,
At 11 o'clock, at salesroom,
GREEN TEAS—An invoice of fine Green Teas, consisting of Hyson, Hyson Skin, Gunpowder, Young Hyson, Twankay, Imperial.
Catalogues and samples the day previous.
At 12 o'clock, within their store,
GINSENG—About 50,000 lbs. Ginseng.

W. O. HOFFMAN, Auctioneer.

By L. M. Hoffman's Son & Co.

Store 111 PEARL Street, (Hanover square.)

TUESDAY, April 25,
At 11 o'clock, within their store,
GREEN AND BLACK TEAS—120 packages fine Green and Black Teas, slightly stained.

GEORGE WELLS NICHOLS, Auctioneer.

By Neilson & Nichols.

Store 113 PEARL Street, (Hanover Square.)

MONDAY, April 24,
At 12 o'clock, at De Forest's stores, Brooklyn,
(For account of whom it may concern.)
BUENOS AYRES HIDES—500 Buenos Ayres Hides slightly damaged on voyage.
TUESDAY, April 25,
At 12 o'clock, in front of store,
(For account of whom it may concern.)
FRENCH BLEACHING POWDERS—150 casks French Bleaching Powders, Magnan brand, in fine order. Test 35.39 per Chilton.

JOHN MORTIMER, Auctioneer.

By John Mortimer.

No. 12 EAST BROADWAY, corner of Catharine street.
PAWNBROKERS' SALES OF UNREDEEMED PLEDGES.

Monday, April 24, by order S. B. Solomon & Co., 625 Dodson street.
Tuesday, April 25, by order Solomons, 173 Spring st.
Friday, April 21, by order of Hugh Freel, 21 Rose st.
Wednesday, April 26, by order of P. Freel, 67 Grand st., Williamsburg.
Thursday, April 27, by order of N. Stich, 291 Third ave.
Friday, April 28, by order of H. McAleenan 61 Mulberry.

JAMES AGAR, Auctioneer.

By James Agar.

Salesroom 61 NEW BOWERY, one door from Oliver st.
PAWNBROKERS' SALES OF UNREDEEMED PLEDGES.

Friday, April 21, by order of M. Blumaur, 156 Broome st.
Monday, April 24, by order of J. Lynch, 73 Grand st.
Tuesday, April 25, by order of H. Barnard, 21 Third av.
Wednesday, April 26, by order of L. Simmons, 308 Spring street.

JAMES H. PRENTICE, Auctioneer.

By James H. Prentice.

Warehouse corner of RAYMOND and WILLOUGHBY Streets, Brooklyn, E. D.

Regular Trade Sales every THURSDAY, at 11 o'clock, commencing January 12, and ending June 15. A full line of Fur and Wool HATS, of every description, in lots to suit purchasers.

E. N. CARVALHO, Auctioneer.

By E. N. Carvalho & Co.

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Give their personal attention to the sales at auction of Stocks, Groceries, Wines and Liquors, &c. Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Furniture, and General Merchandise, on the premises and in store.
Cash advances made upon all goods intended for auction sales without any additional charge.

D. M. SEAMAN, Auctioneer.

By D. M. Seaman.

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Insurance Stocks, Bank Stocks, City Railroad Stocks, Oil Stocks, City Railroad and other Bonds.

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FIRST LARGE PACKAGE SALE OF BRITISH, FRENCH AND AMERICAN SPRING DRY GOODS,
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By Catalogue, on four months' credit.

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JUTE, FLAX AND HEMP YARNS,
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TEAS AND COFFEES,
For cash only,
AT AUCTION PRICES.
WRIGHT, GILLIES AND BROTHER,
are now offering at private sale their immense stock of
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Also their celebrated brands of Package Coffees, viz.:
GILLIES' OLD PLANTATION JAVA,
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at an immense reduction, or about what they would bring if sold at
PUBLIC AUCTION.
This is a rare opportunity for GROCERS, HOTELS, Steamboats, and dealers generally, to procure their stock of
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at from TWENTY-FIVE to FIFTY per cent. less than ordinary prices. All goods warranted as represented, or the money refunded.
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THE FUNERAL.
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to-night beside that funeral bier to feel how power- ... are bullets and blades, to take the real life of ... man.

GEORGE ALFRED TOWNSEND.

DR. GURLEY'S ADDRESS.

As we stand here to-day, mourners around this coffin and around the lifeless remains of our beloved Chief Magistrate, ... recognize and we adore ... the sovereignty of God. His throne is in the heavens, and His kingdom ruleth over all. He hath done, and hath permitted to be done, whatsoever he pleased. Clouds and darkness are around about Him; righteousness and judgment are the habitation of His throne. His way is in the sea, and His path in the great waters, and His footsteps are not known. Canst thou, by searching, find out God? Canst thou find out the Almighty unto perfection? It is as high as heaven. What canst thou do? Deeper than hell. What canst thou know? The measure thereof is longer than the earth and broader than the sea. If He cut off, and shut up, or gather together, then who can hinder him? For He knoweth vain men. He seeth wickedness also. Will He not then consider it. We bow before His infinite Majesty. We bow, we weep, we worship. Where reason fails, with all her powers, there faith prevails, and love adores. It was a cruel, cruel hand, that dark hand of the assassin which smote our honored, wise, and noble President, and filled the land with sorrow. But above and beyond that hand there is another which we must see and acknowledge. It is the chastening hand of a wise and faithful Father. He gives us this bitter cup; and the cup that our Father hath given us shall we not drink it? God of the just, thou givest us the cup, we yield to thy behest, and drink it up. Whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth. Oh, how these blessed words have cheered, and strengthened, and sustained us through all these long and weary years of civil strife, while our friends and brothers on so many ensanguined fields were falling and dying for the cause of liberty and Union. Let them cheer and strengthen and sustain us to-day. True this new sorrow and chastening has come in such an hour and in such a way as we thought not, and it bears the impress of a rod that is very heavy, and of mystery that is very deep. That such a life should be sacrificed at such a time by such a foul and diabolical agency, that the man at the head of the nation, whom the people had learned to trust, with a confiding and loving confidence, and upon whom more than upon any other were centered, under God, our best hopes for the true and speedy pacification of the country, the restoration of the Union, and the return of harmony and love—that he should be taken away from us, and taken just as the prospect of peace was brightly opening upon our torn and bleeding country, and just as he was beginning to be animated and gladdened with the hope of ere long enjoying with the people the blessed ...

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THE ASSASSIN.

Highly Important Letter from J. Wilkes Booth.

He Acknowledges an Intention to Commit a Desperate Deed,

An Immortality of Infamy Secured,

TRACES OF THE MURDERER.

He is Reported to Have Been Seen in Reading, Pa.

A Special Railroad Train Sent in Pursuit.

THE CHASE UNSUCCESSFUL.

Eccentricities of the Booth Family,

&c., &c., &c.

The following verbatim copy of a letter in writing which is the hand-writing of John Wilkes Booth, the murderer of Mr. Lincoln, has been furnished us by Hon. William Millward, United States Marshal of the Eastern District of Pennsylvania. It was handed over to that officer by John S. Clarke, who is a brother-in-law of Mr. Booth. The history connected with it is somewhat peculiar. In November, 1864, the paper was deposited with Mr. Clarke by Booth, in a sealed envelope, "for safe keeping," Mr. Clarke being ignorant of its contents. In January last Booth called at Mr. Clarke's house, asked for the package, and it was given up to him. It is now supposed that at that time he took out the paper and added to it his signature, which appears to be in a different ink from that used in the body of the letter, and also from the language employed could not have been put to it originally. Afterward he returned the package to Mr. Clarke again for safe keeping, sealed and bearing the superscription "J. Wilkes Booth."

The inclosure was preserved by the family without suspicion of its nature. After the afflicting information of the assassination of the President, which came upon the family of Mr. Clarke with crushing force, it was considered proper to open the envelope. There were found in it the following paper, with some seven-thirty United States bonds, and certificates of shares in oil companies. Mr. Clarke promptly handed over the paper to Marshal Millward in whose custody it now remains. From a perusal of this paper it seems to have been prepared by Booth as a vindication of some desperate act which he had in contemplation; and from the language used it is probable that it was a plot to abduct the President and carry him off to Virginia. If this was meditated it failed, and from making a prisoner of the President up to his assassination was an easy step for a man of perverted principles. The italics are Booth's own. The letter is as follows:

——, ——, 1864.

MY DEAR SIR: You may use this as you think best. But as *some* may wish to know *when*, *who* and *why*, and as I know not *how* to direct, I give it (in the words of your master)

To Whom it May Concern:

Right or wrong, God judge me, not man. For be my motive good or bad, of one thing I am sure, the lasting condemnation of the North.

I love peace more than life. Have loved the Union beyond expression. For four years have I waited, hoped and prayed for the dark clouds to break, and for a restoration of our former sunshine. To wait longer would be a crime. All hope for peace is dead. My prayers have proved as idle as my hopes. God's will be done. I go to see and share the bitter end.

I have ever held the South were right. The very nomination of Abraham Lincoln, four years ago, spoke plainly, war—war upon southern rights and institutions. His election proved it. "Await an overt act." Yes, till you are bound and plundered. What folly! The South was wise. Who thinks of argument or patience when the finger of his enemy presses on the trigger? In a *foreign war* I, too, could say, "country, right or wrong." But in a struggle *such as ours* (where the brother tries to pierce the brother's heart), for God's sake, choose the right. When a country like this spurns justice from her side she forfeits the allegiance of every honest freeman, and should leave him, untrammeled by any fealty soever, to act as his conscience may approve.

People of the North! to hate tyranny, to love liberty and justice, to strike at wrong and oppression, was the teaching of our fathers. The study of our early history will not let *me* forget it, and may it never.

This country was formed for the *white*, not for the black man. And looking upon *African slavery* from the same stand-point held by the noble framers of our Constitution, I, for one, have ever considered it one of the greatest blessings (both for themselves and us) that God ever bestowed upon a favored nation. Witness heretofore our wealth and power, witness their elevation and enlightment above their race elsewhere. I have lived among it most of my life, and have seen *less* harsh treatment from master to man than I have beheld in the North from father to son. Yet, heaven knows, *no one* would be willing to do *more* for the negro race than I, could I but see a way to still *better their* condition.

But Lincoln's policy is only preparing the way for their total annihilation. The South *are not, nor have they been fighting* for the continuance of slavery. The first battle of Bull Run did away with that idea. Their causes *since* for war have been as *noble* and *greater far than those that urged our fathers on.* *Even* should we allow they were wrong at the beginning of this contest, *cruelty and injustice* have made the wrong become the *right*, and they stand *now* (before the wonder and admiration of the world) as a noble band of patriotic heroes. Hereafter, reading of *their deeds*, Thermopylæ will be forgotten.

When I aided in the capture and execution of John Brown (who was a murderer on our western border, and who was fairly *tried* and *convicted*, before an impartial judge and jury, of treason, and who, by the way, has since been made a god), I was proud of my little share in the transaction, *for I* deemed it my duty, and that I was helping our common country to perform an act of justice. But what was a crime in poor John Brown is now considered (by themselves) as the greatest and only virtue of the whole Republican party. Strange transmigration! *Vice* to become a *virtue*, simply because *more* indulge in it.

I thought then, *as now*, that the abolitionists *were the only traitors* in the land, and that the entire party deserved the same fate as poor old Brown, not because they wish to abolish slavery, but on account of the means they have ever endeavored to use to effect that abolition. If Brown were living, I doubt whether he *himself* would set slavery against the Union. Most, or many, in the North do, and openly curse the Union, if the South are to return and retain a *single right* guaranteed to them by every tie which we once *revered as sacred*. The South can make no choice. It is either extermination or slavery for *themselves* (worse than death) to draw from. I know *my* choice.

I have also studied hard to discover upon what grounds the right of a state to secede has been denied, when our very name, United States, and the Declaration of Independence *both* provide for secession. But there is no time for words. I write in haste. I know how foolish I shall be deemed for undertaking such a step as this, where, on the one side, I have many friends and everything to make me happy, where my profession alone has gained me an income of *more* than twenty thousand dollars a year, and where my great personal ambition in my profession has such a great field for labor. On the other hand, the South have never bestowed upon me one kind word; a place now where I have no friends, except beneath the sod; a place where I must either become a private soldier or a beggar. To give up all of the *former* for the *latter*, besides my mother and sisters, whom I love so dearly (although they so widely differ with me in opinion), seems insane; but God is my judge. I love *justice* more than I do a country that disowns it; more than fame and wealth; more (Heaven pardon me if wrong) more than a happy home. I have never been upon a battle-field; but O, my countrymen, could you all but see the *reality* or effects of this horrid war, as I have seen them in *every state* (save Virginia), I know you would think like me, and would pray the Almighty to create in the northern mind a sense of *right* and *justice* (even should it possess no seasoning of mercy), and that He would dry up this sea of blood between us, which is daily growing wider. Alas! poor country, is she to meet her threatened doom? Four years ago, I would have given a thousand lives to see her remain (as I had always known her) powerful and unbroken. And even now I would hold my life as naught, to see her what she was. O my friends, if the fearful scenes of the past four years had never been enacted, or if what has been had been but a frightful dream, from which we could now awake, with what overflowing hearts could we bless our God and pray for his continued favor. How I have loved the *old flag* can never now be known. A few years since and the entire world could boast of *none* so pure and spotless. But I have of late been seeing and hearing of the *bloody deeds* of which she has *been made the emblem*, and would shudder to think how changed she has grown. O how I have longed to see her break from the mist of blood and death that circles round her folds, spoiling her beauty and tarnishing her honor. But no, day by day has she been dragged deeper and deeper into cruelty and oppression, till now (in my eyes) her once bright red stripes look like *bloody gashes* on the face of Heaven. I look now upon my early admiration of her glories as a dream. My love (as things stand to-day) is for the South alone. Nor do I deem it a dishonor in attempting to make for her a prisoner of this man, to whom she owes so much of misery. If success attends me, I go penniless to her side. They say she has found *that* "last ditch" which the North have so long derided, and been endeavoring to force her in, forgetting they are our brothers, and that it's impolitic to goad an enemy to madness. Should I reach her in safety and find it true, I will proudly beg permission to triumph or die in that same "ditch" by her side.

A Confederate, doing duty on his own responsibility.

J. WILKES BOOTH.

Traces of Booth, the Murderer—He is Supposed to be in Pennsylvania—A Railroad Train Sent in Pursuit.

READING, Pa., April 19.

Booth, the murderer, it is supposed, was on the passenger train that left here at six o'clock for Pottsville. A gentleman noticed him on the train before it reached here, spoke to him, and shook hands with him. During the conversation, Booth colored several times, and appeared annoyed and desirous of avoiding observation. The gentleman is positive it is Booth, having known him for several years. Why he did not give the alarm at once or before the train left here I do not know; but just as the train left, he notified several of the officers of the road. An extra train was immediately sent in pursuit of the train. Telegrams were sent to all points upon the line of the road. The result is as yet unknown.

Later—The Pursuit Eluded.

READING, April 19.

The extra train did not overtake the regular train, but arrived at Pottsville after it. The conductor informed a party that the suspected man had got off at Port Clinton. The train returned, but the man had left, which way or how no one appeared to know.

Eccentricities of the Booth Family—Sketch of the Elder Booth.

[From the Cincinnati Commercial.]

The elder Booth's habits were exceedingly irregular, and so interfered with his performances at times, that a man less gifted would have forfeited his popularity beyond redemption. It was rarely that he appeared sober on the stage, and toward the close of his life, it required all the vigilance and art of managers to keep him in a condition to appear on the stage at all. The stories told of him in this connection are innumerable, and some of them extremely ludicrous. His appetite for liquor was absolutely voracious. Being without money at one time when in New-York, he went to a pawn-broker's shop, literally pawned himself for money to purchase liquor, was regularly ticketed, and exhibited in a window, where he staid till "redeemed" by a friend. On another occasion, being announced to appear in Philadelphia—at the Walnut Street, we believe—the manager, on the day for the performance, had Booth locked up, but was outwitted by the actor, who bribed the servant to bring a bottle of brandy, a saucer, and a clay pipe. Inserting the pipe through the keyhole, with the bowl inverted, the brandy was poured into the saucer, and sucked up through the pipe by the thirsty tragedian, and the fact was disclosed when in the twilight the manager proceeded there to conduct him to the dressing-room, and found him in an insensible condition. It was considered somewhat perilous to play Richmond to Booth's Richard the Third, particularly if the actor was in liquor. During the combat on Bosworth field he was apt, in his excitement, to consider himself in reality the king, and cut and thrust with the fierceness and ferocity of a man engaged in an earnest and life-depending trial of arms. At such times it was necessary to disable him, and it was in one of these "crazy spells," that his face was disfigured for life by an imperiled actor, the bridge of his nose being broken by the blow delivered through sheer defense. The very ludicrous scene which occurred at a New-York theater between Booth and the celebrated "fat girl" of Barnum's Museum, is probably familiar to most of our readers, and is, perhaps, one of the most amusing incidents in the annals of the stage. It is very doubtful whether Booth was insane at any time when not under the influence of strong drink. He was, however, of a very high quality, and in his peculiar sphere—the sudden and nervous expression of concentrated passion, as also in the more quiet and subtle passages of his delineations—he was, perhaps, unsurpassed by any actor of his time, and would have passed for crazy if it were supposed he was guided in his dramatic outbursts by feeling rather than consummate artistic skill. Off the stage, the elder Booth was convivial, genial, warm-hearted, and as much loved as in his profession he was admired.

The family of Booth consisted of the following: Junius Brutus Booth, Jr., and a daughter, who, if living, is still unmarried—children by his first wife, an English lady, and Edwin Forrest, John Wilkes, Joseph, and a daughter, now wife of John S. Clarke, the comedian—children of his second wife, an American lady, still surviving, and who must be, at this time, past fifty years of age.

How his Brother Received the Dreadful Intelligence in Cincinnati.

[From the Cincinnati Commercial.]

The oldest of the boys, Junius Brutus, was born in Charleston, South Carolina, in 1821. He made his first appearance on the stage in 1834, at Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, as *Tyrrel* in "Richard III.," and appeared first in New-York, at the Bowery, in 1851. The same year he went to California, and, if we mistake not, he spent most of his time on the Pacific coast. He was married twice, first to Miss Clementina DeBar, an Irish actress, from Dublin, and reputed to have been one of the most beautiful women of her day. They subsequently separated, and Mr. Booth married a Miss Harriet Mace, who died in San Francisco in 1859, after a lingering illness.

This member of the family would have completed a two week's engagement at Pike's opera house, on Saturday night, but for the terrible news which associated the family name inseparably with the cruel assassination at Washington. Mr. Booth, who had been up late the previous night, left his room and went direct to Pike's opera house on Saturday morning to attend rehearsal, totally unaware of what had transpired. An excited crowd had already clamored at the door for him, tore down the bill in which he ...

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